ANS Correspondence

Newell, Edward Theodore

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New Haven March 3rd 1905

Bauman L. Belden Esq.

New York City.

Dear Sir

With great pleasure indeed will I accept the position as Assistant Curator of the Society so kindly offered me.

With many thanks, and hoping to see you on Satur Day, as usual, I remain

Very truly yours

Edward T. Newell.

March 3 1905

Edward F. Merrill

January 10,1910.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Hotel Plaza,

New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:

As you have probably heard, we expect to have an extensive exhibition during the month of March, there will be much to do in the way of arranging coins and medals, and preparing a catalogue, and we will have our hands full and considerably more.

Should you at any time find yourself hard up for a little work, we will be most happy to supply it.

Mrs. Newell's proposition for membership was approved at the Council meeting on Saturday, and she will be elected on Monday evening, at the annual meeting.

We will look for you at the annual meeting, and I hope you will bring Mrs. Newell with you.

With kind regards to you both, believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

DWB

February 14, 1910.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors of this Society have appointed you Chairman of the Committee on Oriental Coins, Mr. Charles Gregory, 30 Broad Street, New York, and Rev. Dr. James B. Nies, C/o London City & Midland Bank, Ltd., Threadneedle Street, London England, are the other members of the Committee.

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you, I am, believe me,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

February 14, 1910.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors of this Society have appointed you a member of the Committee on Ancient Coins, of which Mr. Edward Robinson, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, is Chairman, and Mr. Richard Hoe Lawrence, 15 Wall Street, New York, is the third member.

Trusting that his will be agreeable to you, I am, believe me,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

May 13, 1910.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:

Will you kindly let me know if you can attend a meeting of the Council on Saturday, May 28th, at 3.30 P. M.?

I have a considerable number of associate members to elect, and several other matters that should be disposed of before summer, so a meeting is quite important.

Messrs. Huntington, Saltus, Adams, Browne and Weeks will not be here, and as we have to have five to make a quorum, we may slip up on the meeting if you are away also.

Very sincerely yours,

RHB

September 20, 1910.

My dear Mr. Newell:

I hear that you have returned to New York, and I accordingly send you the acknowledgment for the two French plaques, which I have been holding for some time.

I hope you have had a pleasant trip, and that you will find time to come up here before long.

Very sincerely yours,

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Oct 10th

Dear Mr. Belden.

I have now returned to New York and have any afternoon free for you, whenever you wish to call the committee. I don't suppose, however, it will be much before Saturday - for Thursday afternoon I'm thinking of attending Elder's sale - otherwise my afternoons are free.

Very sincerely

Edward T. Newell

October 15, 1910

Mr. Howard T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

My dear Mr. Newell:

I have just received a letter from Mr. Theodore Spicer-Simson, who is now in this country. His address is c/o Mr. E. Burroughs, Flushing, Long Island, N.Y. He writes me that he will come up and see us when next in New York. It occurred to me that this might interest you.

Very sincerely yours,

BHB

[illegible] adopted at [illegible]

[illegible] to [illegible]

[illegible] s of the [illegible]

[illegible] Committees would be received.

[illegible]

[illegible] trust, are the other members. As you [illegible]

[illegible] I [illegible] wanted to resign as a [illegible] of the Council [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] the understanding, that he would not be required to attend meetings

[illegible] it should be inconvenient for him to do so.

[illegible], it has occurred to me, that if I fire this resolution at him, it

[illegible] driving him off the Council.

[illegible] you not cook up some kind of a report for the committee and [illegible]

[illegible] ask him to sign it ?

I believe there was some [illegible], [illegible]

any work for this committee to do, you would look a[illegible].

You are chairman of the Committee of Oriental Coins [illegible], [illegible]. Charles Gregory, whose P. O. Address is [illegible] Broad Street, New[illegible], [illegible]. Nies, who is now abroad, are the other members.

You are also, Foreign Corresponding Secretary. [illegible] your duties in that line have taken a very [illegible] last year. We will have to hunt up a few foreign [illegible], between now and the annual meeting, so that you can have something to [illegible].

[illegible], [illegible], [illegible].

Wishing you and Mrs. Newell a very merry Christmas, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

POST CARD

THIS SPACE MAY BE USED FOR CORRESPONDENCE

Dear Mr. Belden.

Saturday I expected to get up to the society but have been called West by death of my business agent and on Saturday had to wind up affairs East. The Report you might tinker up if there is any hurry about it! or mail it to me c/o Mr. A. A. Hoyt Kenosha Wis

FOR ADDRESS ONLY

Mr. Bauman L. Belden

American Numismatic society

156th St. West of Broadway

New York City

February 6, 1911.

My dear Mr. Newell:

I have just received your card and am very sorry to hear that you have been called West.

I have received a letter from Howland Wood in which he says [illegible] are people regarding it.

I would be glad to know about how long you expect to be away [illegible] up if it should work out that way.

I am very busy just now getting things in shape as the Trou- [illegible] visitors in here.

Hoping to hear from you soon, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

[illegible], 1911.

Mr. Edward T. Powell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors of this Society have re-appointed you Chairman of the [illegible] Broad Street, New York, and Rev. Dr. James [illegible] Nies, & London City & Midland Bank, Ltd., Threadneedle Street, London, England, are the other members.

Trusting that this will be satisfactory to you, I am, believe me,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

February 24, 1911.

[illegible] l:

[illegible]

regarding [illegible], also copy [illegible]

Very sincerely yours,

June 1st, 1911.

My dear Mr. Howell:-

I have not seen or heard from you for some little time, and I am wondering whether you are still in New York, or have gone away. I am also wondering whether there have been any further developments regarding those medals, and I might as well ask a whole lot of questions while I am about it. I will also wonder whether we will see you on Saturday at the Summit meeting or not.

Kindly remember me to Mrs. Howell, and believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
156TH STREET, WEST OF BROADWAY
NEW YORK

Bauman & Belden Esq.

Please consider the
under signed as present in
the deliberations of the Board
of the Numismatic Society
meeting June 3rd 1911.

Edward T. Newell

June 20th, 1911.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have received a package, by mail, from England, addressed to you. It is very light, and possibly contains casts. It is stamped as having been passed free of duty. What shall I do with it?

Very sincerely yours,

[illegible], 1911.

Mr. Grover C. Powell,

Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Powell:

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

Very sincerely yours,

July 21

My dear Mr. Belden.

I didn't answer your letter sooner as I was expecting to get in to the city on Thursday last when I could see you at Lows sale. However things turned up so that I was unable to manage it. Some time this

next will again be in New York
and [illegible] to have time to run
up to the Society.

The medals are all right — that
is, they are boxed up, paid for and
no doubt by the time awaiting
me at the Plaza Hotel. Some time
soon I'll have them sent up
to the Society's building. After

considerable [illegible] settled on

$250 as being a reasonable price

for the lot.

If you address letters to me

at Halesite (instead of Huntington)

they will reach me sooner.

Very sincerely yours

Edward T. Newell

July 31st, 1911.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Halesite,

Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have just received your letter of July 30th, and am very glad to hear about the medals.

Should you happen to know a day or two ahead what day you are coming to the City, I would be glad if you would drop me a line and let me know so that I can arrange to be here. While I will be here most of the time from now on, I may be away one day this week, probably Wednesday, and I will probably go to Philadelphia either Friday of this week or early next week as I expect to meet Adams there and go over to the Mint with him to get impressions of some private gold coins for illustrations in the Journal.

With kind regards to Mrs. Newell, believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

[illegible]

August 4th, 1911.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Hilesite,

Long Island.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

The box of medals came in this morning, and I took the medals out and looked them over. When you send me the list, I will check them over and see if they are all there.

The enclosed letter came in this morning. I note this is the one that you are expecting.

Hoping to see you before very long, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

Aug. 5th

Dear Mr. Belden.

I enclose list - so far as I can make it out - of what is supposed to be in the box of medals. I'm find more - why all right - if not - yell. That is, please drop me a line to that effect. There should be 77 pieces. Those marked red are out. A. R. Lee

is a foxy child — but just the same I think I got the medals fairly cheap in spite of the best ones being out.

The Sawyer medals are worth $3.00 according to A.R.L.

The letter you so kindly enclosed was unfortunately not the right one — but you will get it while I am in the West.

Very truly Edward T. Newell

August 14th, 1911.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Hilesite,

Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have checked over the list of medals and plaques, and find the right number 77. There are quite a number of nice things that your good friend, Mr. Lee, disposed of elsewhere, but the lot is cheap at what you said for it, and I think the most desirable pieces are here. I hope you will get around before very long so that we can go over them together.

Mr. Greenwood's collection is now here. It contains a very considerable number of Oriental coins, which will [illegible] interest you. Taken together, it is a [illegible], and will [illegible] us a lot.

I hope your trip to Chicago was satisfactory.

Very sincerely yours,

August 19th, 1911.

[illegible]:-

Mr. Pryer was up here a few days ago. He is going to [illegible]. [illegible] I do not know. I want to go over the matter with you when we have an opportunity, and fix on values, and so forth, so that if any body comes along and wants to do something for us, I will be able to talk business.

Brenner was in the other day. He rather wants to get one of the duplicate medals if it does not cost too much. He thinks possibly Mr. Drummond might want a few of them, so it will be a good scheme for us to go [illegible] what I can do regarding the others in case any one floats in who wants any of them.

I have been thinking of talking to Mr. Adams when I have an opportunity. I have not seen him since he returned from abroad, and have [illegible] also.

Kindly remember me to Mrs. Newell, and believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

September 9th, 1911.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a letter that came here yesterday.

It is quite a while since I have been at heart anything from you, and I have been wondering if you were off on a trip, if so I hope you are having a good time, and will be back before long.

Very sincerely yours,

September 14th, 1911.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a letter for you from London, which arrived this morning.

We had a visit from Mr. Parks yesterday afternoon, and it begins to look as if things are waking up a little.

Kindly remember me to Mrs. Newell, and believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

September 20th, 1911.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have just received a box containing nine pairs of casts from the British Museum for you.

These were packed in one of those beautiful thin wooden boxes, which arrive in small pieces. I had to open and examine the contents in the presence of the carrier, as it came by registered mail, and I am very glad to say that the casts were all perfect, which is rather better than the last time.

Hoping to see you tomorrow, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

[illegible] 1911.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a letter for you, which came a couple of days ago. I did not send it as I had expected you would be here yesterday. There has also arrived a small package, which, judging from its weight, [illegible] a few more cards. This appears to be [illegible], consequently I did not have to open it. I will keep it here for you unless you want it forwarded.

I have just heard of the death of Mr. Joseph C. Mitchelson of Tariffville, Connecticut. The [illegible] is in Tariffville at [illegible] tomorrow, and I am [illegible] to [illegible] I will not be here tomorrow, and [illegible] on Friday as I may decide to stay over tomorrow [illegible] in [illegible]. I will [illegible] leave your [illegible] in [illegible] should happen in here while I am away.

Kindly remember me to Mrs. Newell, and believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

October 25th, 1911.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a letter for you which arrived yesterday. I have also a small and light package from the same source about heavy [illegible] for [illegible]. Shall I mail it to you, or will you be around this way before long?

It seems quite a long time since I have seen you. I have wondered if you have been away.

Kindly remember me to Mrs. Newell, and believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

October 27th 1911.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a copy of the list of seeds and plants with the prices asked according to the list, that you saw yesterday. I thought you might like to have this for your own information. If you see anything on it that you think should be changed, please let me know.

Very sincerely yours,

December 2nd, 1911.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I had a pile of mail this morning, and among it was the enclosed letter for you, and I put open the envelope before I noticed the address, which I now see you will excuse as it was entirely accidental.

Very sincerely yours,

[illegible] 1[illegible].

[illegible]

[illegible]

Kindly remember me to Mrs. [illegible],

[illegible]

Very sincerely yours,

January 29th, 1912.

My dear Mr. Nevell:-

We looked for you in vain on Saturday afternoon, and as we were [illegible] short of a quorum we adjourned the meeting until next Saturday at half past three. I sent you a card this morning. A communication was sent up here to you by Mr. Field's Secretary, and I am mailing this to you under separate cover.

Can you meet Mr. Browne here at half past two o'clock next Saturday (February 3rd) to go over the Treasurer's accounts? Please advise me, and I will let Mr. Browne know if you will be here.

Mr. Huntington, Mr. Parish, Mr. Browne and I were the only ones here on Saturday. Mr. Field promised to show up late but did not come. I hope we will be able to do better next Saturday as there are a number of things to be gotten out of the way before the February meeting.

I have just received two hundred and twenty one medals of Joanne of Arc from Mr. Saltus.

Very sincerely yours,

February 6th, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I hope you won't forget that this is the first Con- [illegible] with the Journal.

Very sincerely yours,

February 27th, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I suppose you have received your card for the Council meeting on Saturday. If you can find it convenient to come up earlier, I would be very glad as I have a letter from Mr. Garvin regarding which I want to consult you. I also want to talk to Mr. Wiele about it if I can get hold of him. Of course if you have time to drop in in the meantime so much the better. It is possible, however, that I may be away on Thursday as I am thinking of going down to Philadelphia that day.

Very sincerely yours,

March 19th, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I believe you carried away Mr. Wood's letter on Saturday.

I would be glad to know, as soon as possible, just what you have done regarding the matters mentioned in this letter. It has occurred to me that it might be possible for Mr. Garvin to get that part of your paper that will go in the next number in type as soon as or was the present number printed so as to be able to give you your reprints ahead of the publication of the number. At all events I think we want to settle this up as quickly as possible so as not to delay the present number any more as it is very late getting out. I think I will hold back the annual proceedings until the next number so as not to delay this number any more, and in that case we ought to be able to get it out in a very few days, as I understand all the material is in hand.

Very sincerely yours,

April 9th, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have just received a letter from Mr. Howland Wood, who is acting for Mr. [illegible] in regard to the collection of Chinese coins, of which I enclose a copy.

As this amounts to the same thing as the original offer, that was made, except that Mr. [illegible] would be considered as one of the donors of the collection, I hope that the proposition will be favorably considered.

I have sent Mr. Wood's letter to Mr. Huntington.

Very sincerely yours,

June 3rd, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

It just occurred to me that you said that you expected to be home about the first of June, and as the first of June was two days ago, I am beginning to wonder if you have turned up.

Things have [illegible] since you went away, and there is nothing particularly new or startling, still I have quite a budget of things that I could tell to you about, and we begin to hope that we would see you before very long. We have had no work in the library, and I am hoping that in the course of the summer we will get things there in pretty good shape. Miss Bailey called on the fourteenth of May, and very little has come in since she left. What I suppose is rather fortunate for us.

Hoping to see you before very long, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

June 10th, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have here a small registered package from St. Petersburg addressed to you.

Hoping that you are home by this time, and that I may see you before long, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

June 14th, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I am going away this afternoon, and will not be back before Tuesday morning, and it is just possible that I may stay away until Wednesday morning. I thought it well to let you know as you said the other day that you might be in early in the week.

Very sincerely yours,

August 6th, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

The enclosed letter for you has just been received. I have not seen or heard anything of you for a long time. I presume you are doing lots of farming and not coming into the city very often, still I hope you will get up here sometime before very long, as there are various things that I want to talk to you about. I expect to be away more or less until a little after the middle of August. I will not come to the city again until Friday or Saturday of this week, and next week will probably come only a couple of time.

Very sincerely yours,

August 20, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:

Higgins' book, or rather I suppose I should say the first installment of it, appears to be out, I have not seen it yet, but he sent a copy to Wood with the request that it be reviewed in the Journal. Dr. Marvin wrote a review and sent it to me for my opinion, I enclose it herewith, together with a copy of a letter that I wrot to Dr. Marvin regarding it. I wish you would look it over, and send it to Ed. Marvin with such criticism as you may wish to make regarding it, and regarding the views that I have expressed. I think we should be mighty careful in any thing we say, on behalf of the Society, concerning this. I would have liked to have gotten Dr. Martin's opinion on this review, but he is now in Europe and so out of reach.

Hoping that you and Mrs. Newell are well, and have been enjoying the delightful weather that we have had, and with kind regards to you both, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hilesite,
Long Island.

September 19, 1912.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite,
Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a Post Office notice that came here today.

As I have heard nothing to the contrary I presume you are still at Halesite and accordingly am sending this there.

With kind regards to yourself Mrs. Newell, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

September 30th, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have just received a small package for you from A. O. van Kerwijk, Gravenhage. Shall I hold it here for you, or would you like it forwarded ?

Very sincerely yours,

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite,
L. I.

December 4th, 1912.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

If I remember right the coins, of which you spoke at the last meeting, were issued during the Seige of Jerusalem A. D. 69 and 70. Will you kindly advise me tomorrow if this is correct, as I have made a note of it in the bulletin of the meeting, and I expect to have a proof tomorrow afternoon when I can make any corrections if I have the wrong date.

I have been trying to get you on the telephone, but could not get an answer.

Very sincerely yours,

December 9th, 1912.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Sir:-

A meeting of the Committee appointed on Saturday to draw up a notice regarding the change in the Journal will be held here on Thursday, December 12th, at 4 P. M.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

February 4th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

The next meeting of the Society will be on Saturday afternoon, February 15th, and the subject chosen for exhibition and discussion is the coins of the Crusaders. We are depending on you to help us along in this line, both in the way of exhibition and remarks.

I have here a registered package for you from St. Petersburg. Shall I hold it until you come up?

Very sincerely yours,

February 5th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors have appointed you a member of the Committee on Publication of Metals, of which Mr. [illegible], 14 Wall Street, New York, is Chairman, and Mr. William [illegible] Field, 436 Fifth Avenue, New York, the other member.

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you, I am,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

February 5th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors have appointed you a member of the Committee on Oriental Coins, of which Mr. Rowland Wood, 33 Perry Street, Brookline, Massachusetts, is Chairman, and Mr. Charles Gregory, 80 Broadway, New York, Rev. Dr. James B. Niles, Hotel St. George, Clark Street, Brooklyn, New York, and Mr. John Reilly, Jr., 280 Broadway, New York, are the other members.

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you, I am,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

February 8th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors have appointed you a member of the Committee on Ancient Coins, of which Miss Agnes Baldwin, 11 rue Scribe, Paris, France, is Chairman, and Mr. S. Hudson Chapman, 1128 Spruce Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, is the other member.

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you, I am,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

February 10th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have just received a package addressed to you from Denver. Inquire [illegible] it is [illegible] like a box of beets. I think that this is quite a streak of luck, as it will probably be an inducement for you to come up.

Very sincerely yours,

February 19th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a nomination blank for the Department of Coins, British Museum. Will you kindly sign and return it to me.

Have you anything to suggest for the subject for the March meeting ?

Very sincerely yours,

February 20th, 1912.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have just received the nomination blank for the Department of Coins of the British Museum. Much obliged. When I wrote you I forgot to ask to whom the notification should be sent. Will you kindly inform me so that I can sent it off. Also please let me know if you can think of any good subject for the March meeting.

Very sincerely yours,

March 19th, 1918.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
c/o Messrs. John Munroe & Co.,
7 Rue Scribe,
Paris, France.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a letter from Egypt addressed to you, which has just been received.

We have just placed on exhibition a most interesting collection of medals relating to the French Revolution of 1848. There are 1[illegible] of them in all, and I hope we will be able to retain them for this Society as they only cost two hundred dollars. You see you got away just in time to avoid being tackled to help us along on this, but I guess it is just as well as we will no doubt be able to manage it, and you will be able to devote all your energies, and incidentally your spare capital, in helping along on the So Collection.

We had a very nice meeting on Saturday, and everything is going along very nicely. Wood is doing mighty good work in arranging things, and by the time you get back you will see the collection is a much better shape.

With kind regards to you and Mrs. Newell, and hoping that you are having a good time, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

March 27th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
c/o Messrs. John Munroe & Co.,
7 Rue Scribe,
Paris, France.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

You will, no doubt, be very glad to learn that the Ro Collection of Chinese coins is now assured to the Society, and you will have an opportunity to cough up your contribution as soon as you feel like it. As regards your contribution I believe that was somewhat of an elastic one of from one to two hundred dollars, and as we have an underlying duty to take all we can get, I have put you down for two hundred, Mr. Huntington has made up the difference, and I have the cash. Mr. Saltus has just telephoned me that his check is on its way up here, and as Mr. Field told me something ago that his would be ready when wanted, I am expecting to get it today or tomorrow as I wrote for it yesterday.

Another thing that you will be glad to hear is that Mr. Avery has consented to have the fund for purchasing coins started with the amount already subscribed, seven thousand five hundred dollars, and that will all be in our hands in the course of the next couple of weeks. Then we can go gunning around and increase this fund to ten thousand or more as the opportunity may offer. We will have the fund started, and will get the benefit right away.

As regards the collection of medals relating to the French Revolution of 1848, which I mentioned in my letter to you of March 19th, Mr. Saltus has contributed fifty dollars to the purchase of this collection, and while Mr. Huntington said that he would make up the balance assuring the purchase of the collection, I am going to try and get the remaining hundred and fifty dollars without calling on him, considering his large contribution for the purchase of the Ro collection. I think it would rather please him if we do this, and as the amount is not large I do not believe there would be any particular difficulty. There seems to be quite a bunch of things that we want to get all at once, which will make us hustle a little.

We are going to have a Council meeting on Saturday afternoon, April 5th, and you can take this for a notice of the meeting, though I am afraid it will not reach you in time for you to get over here to attend it.

Wood is doing considerable hustling in various ways, and has made a very good start in getting the collection arranged. I think he is just the right man for the job, and that he will do a lot for us.

I hope that both you and Mrs. Newell are well and having a good time, and with kindest regards to you both, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

April 2nd, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
c/o Messrs. John Munroe & Co.,
7 Rue Scribe,
Paris, France.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

Mr. A. H. Baldwin has returned the bill that was sent to him last January for dues as a member of this Society for the years 1912 and 1913 amounting to thirty dollars, accompanied by a letter of which I enclose a copy. I also enclose a carbon copy of the letter I wrote to him in reply, which I think explains how the matter stands.

Mr. Avery, Mr. Huntington and Mr. Saltus have paid in their subscriptions to the fund for the purchase of coins, so we now have seventy five hundred dollars in that fund, which will give us a little income that will help the collections greatly. We will get that invested as soon as possible so that the returns may come in and giveus some money to use.

As to the Ho Collection, I have made a payment on that, and will send the balance when your subscription comes in.

Things here are working along very nicely. As you will see by the enclosed circular the Babylon book is ready for subscription. If you want me to save you a copy, please let me know and I will give you the lowest number possible.

With kind regards to you and Mrs. Newell, believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

April 22nd, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
c/o Messrs. John Munroe & Company,
7 Rue Scribe,
Paris, France.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a letter addressed to you, which has just been received. I also have here two small packages, which, judging from their weight, I should say contain plaster casts, in fact, one of them has a note on the outside stating what the contents is, so you see as long as all these things are here for you, you would better get back as quick as you can.

The three subscribers of twenty five hundred dollars each to the fund suggested by Mr. Avery have been paid in, so we now have seventy five hundred dollars in that fund. As Mr. Avery originated it, the Council has decided that it should be known as the Samuel P. Avery fund for the purchase of coins and medals, and I have been directed to notify all of the members of this Society that contributions to this fund in any amount, large or small, will be most acceptable. At the last Council meeting Mr. Adams, Mr. Browne and Mr. Waterbury each promised one hundred dollars, so if we have any kind of good luck with the members generally, we ought to bring it up to ten thousand dollars or more.

We had an interesting meeting on Saturday. The subject was the Modern Struck Coins of China. Reilly and Wood exhibited their collections, or rather made up a collection out of their collections, which was very large and interesting, and they also had some interesting remarks to make on the subject.

The collection of French medals of the Revolution of 1848, which I mentioned in a recent letter, has been presented to the Society by Mr. Huntington and Mr. Saltus. That with the Fo Collection of Chinese coins and a number of other things, made a pretty big lot of donations to report.

Hoping that you and Mrs. Newell are well and enjoying your-

selves, and with very kind regards to you both, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

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AVENUE DES CHAMPS ELYSEES
PARIS (8E)

My dear Mr. Belden.

Your two letters I found waiting for me when I arrived in Paris a few days ago. They certainly contained joyful news, and the Society is to be congratulated on its good fortune to acquire such objections and such owners to increase them with. As soon as I read

New York I shall be delighted to turn over to you my little pasta. You certainly have been doing great work since last I was up at the Society!

This afternoon I have made an appointment to see Miss. Baldwin and have a talk with her. If she has any real good articles to show for this last year's work in Paris I hope to be able to secure

the best for the Society's publications.
I understand from M. Babelon
that she has been doing considerable
work here.

We are planning to sail
May 8th on the Kaiser Wilhelm
der Grosse which ought to get us
to New York about the 14th or 15th.
I will immediately present
myself at the Society's Building
to congratulate you and
incidentally "one across".

I am very sorry to have missed Woods and Reilly's talk on Chinese ions - it must have been <u>very</u> interesting as well as instructive, just the kind of thing we want to continue and have. In the end it will bring the collectors in crowds.

Looking forward to being back at Headquarters and hoping you are well and enjoying yourself

- sincerely

Edward T. Newell.

May 26th, 1918.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a copy of a report made by the Librarian to the Chairman of the Committee on Library, which I have been directed, by the Council, to send to each member of the Council for his information.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

June 12th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite,
Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose herewith a copy of a letter received in March from Mr. A. E. Baldwin, also a copy of my reply. I have heard nothing further from Mr. Baldwin on the subject.

As I wrote him we can put him on the associate membership roll for the current year, but as we had no request for such change during 1912 I do not see how we can change his dues for that year. Will you kindly take the matter up with him, and see how it can be fixed up.

Do you ever get over to New York now ? There is a matter in connection with our proposed exhibition for next winter that I want to discuss with you, and if you expect to be over any time soon, and have not time to get up here, I will meet you down town.

With kind regards, believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

June 20th, 1918.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Melville, L. I.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have here three packages for you (labelled casts) from Vienna, also two packages from Munich.

I have been hoping to see you for quite a little while as I wished to have a talk with you regarding our exhibition next winter.

I suppose you know Ward was married on Wednesday, and he expects to be back here Monday morning. I [illegible] stay just long enough to see him, and then expect to go away to the country for a couple of weeks or so.

With kind regards to you and Mrs. Newell, believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

July 28, 1913.

My dear Mr. Newell:

I sent you yesterday a notice of a Council meeting for Thursday, July 31st, 4 P. M. Please come if possible, it is very doubtful if we can get a quorum without you, the meeting is to consider what to do about Fehrson, and that should be settled promptly, his vacation will be over about August 3d.

With kind regards to Mrs. Newell, and hoping to see you on Thursday, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

July 18, 1913

Dear Mr. Newell:

I have just received three packages from Denmark, addressed to you.

With kind regards to Mrs. Newell, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

August 22nd, 1912.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite,
Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have just received a little package of plaster casts from the Königliches Münzkabinet, Dresden.

These cars in a sealed registered package addressed to the Society. I got a notice of it yesterday, and this morning I stopped at the Post Office and got it. As I do not know of anything of the kind being expected here, I presume it must be for you, and I will keep it here until I see you.

Soon is on vacation, and will be back about the first of September.

I will probably call a meeting of the Council for Wednesday, September 3rd, at Mr. [illegible]'s office, Freundes Tavern. I intended to have called this meeting next Wednesday, but found that Mr. Field would not be in New York that day, and we probably would not have a quorum without him. I have written to him about September 3rd, and as soon as I get a reply I will send out the notices.

Nothing new or strange up here. Things are jogging along smoothly and quietly. When I got the notice of the package of casts I right away jumped to the conclusion that somebody had been sending us something nice, but my hopes in that line were rudely shattered.

Kindly remember me to Mrs. Newell, and believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

September 4th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite,
Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I am sure you have received your card for the Council meeting at Mr. [illegible]'s office on September 10, and we are banking on you to help make a quorum.

With kind regards to you and Mrs. Newell, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

September 16th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite,
Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I have gotten up a little circular to send round to various coin dealers asking them to put the Society on their mailing lists for catalogues, and it would be of considerable help to me if you would send me the addresses of all the French dealers of whom you know.

Very sincerely yours,

My dear Mr. Belden.

In answer to your letter I have jotted down the addresses of the few french dealers who usually issue catalogues.

Mme Vve Raymond Serrure
19 Rue des Petits Champs
Paris

Étienne Bourgey
7 Rue Drouot Paris

Feuardent Frères

4 Rue de Louvois

Paris

(This firm used to be called Rollin & Feuardent)

Provadalieff

54 (?) Rue de Richelieu

Paris

(I have forgotten the no. of the street but I think this will reach him O.K.)

C. and E. Canessa

Champs Elysées

Paris.

Dr. J. Hirsch

364 Rue St. Honore

Paris

Clément Platt

~~Quai Voltaire~~

21 Quai Malaquais

Paris.

These are all ~~that~~ I can think of for the moment. If any more turn up I will let you know.

I expect to have to be in Chicago Oct 25th.
Therefore some time before that we
will have a conference in case you
are still thinking of tackling Mr. Brand.

Hoping to be able to get up to
the Society soon,

Sincerely

Edward T. Newell

October 10th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Halesite, Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

Your letter was received several days ago. Much obliged for the list of French dealers.

I still think it important to see Brand, and will arrange to do so if possible. I would very much like to talk it over with you the first opportunity.

I hope to have a Council meeting next week. I expect to get Browne on the telephone this afternoon, and if agreeable to him I may call it at his office next Wednesday afternoon. If I call it for that time I will send the cards out this afternoon. I think we ought to have a quorum this time as Jessers, Parish and Poillon are in the city, Dodd is also on deck and I hope we can count on you.

Very sincerely yours,

November 13th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I know that you will be exceedingly glad to hand over the hundred plunks that you promised us toward the collection of West Indies coins. The remaining two hundred has been subscribed by Mr. John M. Dodd, Jr., and I expect to have the check the latter part of this week.

Don't fail to be on hand for the meeting on Saturday, and don't forget the fact that there is a meeting of the Numismatic Club to-morrow night.

Mr. Huntington got back to New York yesterday. I have not seen him so far, but hope to very soon.

Kindly remember me to Mrs. Newell, and believe me,

Very sincerely yours,

December 12th, 1913.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

We have a subject here very much in your line, and we will certainly expect that your exhibition will be large and comprehensive and your remarks most interesting.

Very sincerely yours,

December 29th, 1913.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Hotel Plaza,

New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I have been thinking of some matters that might result in giving a large amount of very hard work to the FOREIGN CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, which I am sure will be a great satisfaction to him.

Can't you manage to drop in some time this week ? I will be away on Saturday afternoon.

With kind regards to Mrs. Newell and the compliments of the season, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

January 16th, 1914.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Hotel Plaza,

New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

Mr. Walcoury has requested me to notify you that a meeting of the Committee on the Publication of Medals will be held here at three o'clock tomorrow, January 17th, to consider the annual report of the Committee.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

April 23rd, 1914.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors have appointed you a member of the Committee on Ancient Coins for the current year, of which Miss Agnes Baldwin, 404 West 116th Street, New York, is chairman, and Mr. S. Hudson Chapman, Drexel Building, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and Dr. Edwin P. Robinson, 1[illegible] High Street, Newport, Rhode Island, are the other members.

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you, I am,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

May 4th, 1914.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

The meeting of the Council called for Wednesday, May 6th, at 4 P. M., has been postponed to Monday, May 11th, at the same hour (4 P. M.).

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

June 3, 1914.

Mr. E. T. Newell
Hotel Plaza,
New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I have just received a package from Holland addressed to you, and judging from the size and weight, I should say it contains casts.

I will hold it here until the next time you come up unless you desire other disposition made of it.

Very truly yours,

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With kind regards to Mrs. Newell and your-

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Very sincerely yours,

[illegible] Ann, 1914.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

[illegible]site,

Long Island.

[illegible] Mr. Newell:-

The enclosed letter [illegible] received.

Judging by what we [illegible] should think that your Russi[illegible] future is not likely to be very heavy.

With kind regards to you [illegible] long, I am,

[illegible],

ANS Correspondence

Newell, Edward Theodore

February 15th, 1915.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Hotel Plaza,

New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

The next regular meeting of the Society will be on Saturday afternoon, February 20th, and the appointment, by the Governors, of the standing committees for the current year should be announced at that time if possible.

I enclose a list of the committees as constituted last year.

There will be a meeting of the Council on Thursday, February 18th at 3.30 P. M.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

February 26, 1915.

Mr. E. T. Newell

Hotel Plaza,

New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I take pleasure in notifying you that the Governors have appointed you Chairman of the Committee on Publication for the current year, the other members of the Committee are, Mr. William B. Osgood Field, 645 Fifth Ave., New York. and Mr. Howland Wood, c/o The American Numismatic Society, 156th Street at Broadway, New York,

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you, I am,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

February 26, 1915.

Mr. Edward T. Newell

Hotel Plaza,

New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I take pleasure in notifying you that the Governors have appointed you a Member of the Committee on Ancient Coins of which Mrs. Agnes Baldwin Brett, 404 West 118th Street, New York, is Chairman and Messrs. S. Nelson Chapman, Dr. E. P. Robinson and T. H. Smith Hobart the other members.

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you, I am,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

March 15th, 1915..

Mr. Edward T.. Newell,

Chairman, Publication Committee.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

The enclosed letter from Mr. Sigmund Krausz, and carbon copy of my reply are self-explanatory.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary.

August 4, 1915.

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Hailsite,

Long Island.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I have found the enclosed letter to you among the various pamphlets and things that are on your corner of my shelf. I see that it is not marked [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] I [illegible] on my vacation [illegible] put up on the shelf instead of being forwarded to you as it should have been.

With kind regards to you and Mrs. Newell, and hoping that you are both well and enjoying yourselves, I remain.

Very sincerely yours,

August 9, 1915.

Mr. E. T. Newell,

Halesite,

Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

Sometime ago you promised me an additional twenty-five dollars towards the purchase of Indian medals, that is, you said you would give it to me after the first of July.

The subscription to the Pell collection seems to be completed. I have received altogether twelve hundred and twenty-two dollars which gives me a surplus of twenty-two dollars to use for other medals of this kind. We have just had a few Indian medals submitted to us on approval and I have made an offer of forty dollars for two of them, depending on your promise to give us twenty-five.

Trusting that you are well and enjoying yourself and with kind regards to you and Mrs. Newell, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

September [illegible]th, 1915.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Helesite,

Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I owe you an apology for opening this. It was with a pile of my mail, and I had it out once before I noticed your name on the envelope.

Things here are going along quietly. We will have to have a Council meeting sometime before very long. When do you expect to move into New York?

Very sincerely yours,

November 3rd, 1915.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Halesite,

Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

The Council meeting on Friday afternoon, of which I sent out notices on Saturday, was called at the suggestion of Mr. Huntington to discuss the question as to whether we should present an amendment providing for a President, or not. It is therefore most important that everybody should be on hand, and I hope that we will see you.

Very sincerely yours,

December 21st, 1915.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

Chairman, Committee on Publication,

Hotel Plaza,

New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

The Annual Meeting of the Society will be held on Saturday afternoon, January 15th, 1916, at which time the reports of the various Standing Committees will be in order,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

Annual Report of the Governors.

Gentlemen:-

Owing on the one hand, to the complete reorganization through which the American Numismatic Society has been going for the past twelve months, and , on the other hand, to the inexperience in correct procedure of its officers, this annual report will be unusually lengthy. Hereafter the Governors, strictly following the letter of the Bye-laws, will report at each meeting of the Council. At that time their recommendations will come up for discussion and action, their past activities will be passed in review for ratification or comment by the Council. In this way much will be accomplished at each meeting of the Council and the annual report will be neither so lengthy nor so tedious.

The plea of inexperience, as just advanced, may surprise you as the office of governor has now been in existence for years, and surely the plea of inexperience ought to be the last one put forward. But, Gentlemen, if you will pause to consider, you will find this to be absolutely the true state of affairs. The Governors who have yearly been chosed from among our numbers seem, on the whole, to have flattered themselves that theirs was an honorary position, and active work seems to have been the last thing that ever crossed their minds! In so doing they have done incalculable harm to the Society. They gave themselves up to rosy dreams and consequently the running of the Society and its affairs devolved almost entirely upon its Secratary Mr.Belden. This was unfair and no one man could be expected to carry such a burden successfully.

During the course of the year 1915 the Governors at last awoke. Chapter V,Section 3 of the Constitution and Chapter I, Sections 2 and3 of the Bye-laws, wherein are clearly set down the duties and activities

of the governors of the American Numismatic Society, stared them in the face. The sections in question expressly state that the Governors of this Society are officers of the Society. These 'officers' till then had been in the habit of considering themselves more ornamental than useful. No surprise ought therefore to be f#### expressed at the general dissatisfaction which had been p######### pervading this Society at its progress - or rather lack of progress - in the past. What can be expected of an army or of a business, the officers of which had been considering themselves honorary figure heads ? The blame is certainly to be laid at the door of the Governors. When at last they awoke to this fact they felt it keenly and hastened to make amends. This, in a nutshell, explains the feverish activity pervading a building which here-to-fore had greatly resembled that country known to its inhabitants as the 'Land of the Morning Calm' to us as the 'Hermit Kingdom'/.

The first and most disquieting fact that the now thoroughly awakened Governors faced was the financial abyss in which the Society was yearly struggling - though this fact was hardly apparent to the Society as a whole, on account of the yearly generosity of one of its members who was ever loyally meeting the large deficit, but to whom, since 1913, we have had no right to look for further contributions. It is therefore our duty to insure ourselves against this emergency. Ofcourse, so long as we remain recipients of this liberality we will have the opportunity to distribute extra funds where they are most needed. We also had the added fact that our absolutely indispensable curator was now in line for a slight rise in his salary and, furthermore, that we had acquired an expert librarian (whose services were of the very first importance to the Society) at a figure in excess of what had hitherto been allowed the

Library. Furthermore, to retain the librarian we knew that at the end of the current year he would expect a slight ### increase of salary as he had only been induced to come with us on that express stipulation. In the face of a yearly deficit of over $2000 and the prospect of these additional and unavoidable ex-penses it was absolutely imperative that the Society should make substantial retrenchments. There was only one department in which this could be done - and even so ##### only under certain conditions. The Governors were able to secure the promises of our Treasurer and our President to devote the larger part of their time exclusively to the Society, to remove their collections and their persons ####### to the Society's building - thus enabling the Society, by securing their free services, to economise in one department with a saving of about $2000 annually. This step was taken with great regret by the Governors as it meant ## the loss to the Society of Mr.Belden's services. Mr.Belden had loyally and continually served the Society for many years with great devotion and interest. It was therefore only after lengthy deliberations, lasting many months, that the Governors reluctantly brought themselves to take this drastic step. A letter explaining the situation and asking for his resignation to take effect May 1st., was then sent to Mr/Belden. The fixing of the Secretary's ret-irement for May 1st. gave the reorganized staff the opportunity of taking up their duties with more deliberation during the inactive period of the Summer months than if they had been plunged into their work in the very midst of the busy season. Your Governors , in consideration of Mr.Belden's long and faithful services to our Society, and the shortness of the notice sent to him, agreed to extend to him from the Society's funds his full salary for the remainder of our fiscal year, and, in addition, the Governors voted him an honorarium (subscribed by Mr.Huntington) equal to half of his

salary for five years. Mr.Belden, on receipt of the above letter, tendered his resignation , which was accepted.

After this step was taken, events moved rapidly. Before Mr.Reilly and myself could take up our abode here, numerous changes in the building, together with a much needed renovation of the interior, were advisable. For the accomplishment of these Mr. Huntington again generously subscribed the full amount necessary. Reports of the advancement to Mr.Belden of his salary and the expenses coincident with the renovation of the building will be found in the Treasurer's report.

The last meeting of the Governors for the Season 1915/1916 was held on June 15th , at which time a general discussion took place of the problems, activities, aims and ideals of the Society. The old position of a salaried secretary having been recently abolished , much thought was devoted to a discussion concerning the best form the Secretary's department should henceforth assume, the qualifications, activities ,and aims of the ideal incumbent of this office, and the possible means of securing this desirable personage. These points will be brought out in the Secretary's report to which we would expressly grant your attention.

The next department that called for a thorough discussion of ways and means was that of the Treasurer. After listening to Mr.Reilly's account of certain difficulties and drawbacks which he encountered on having taken over this department formerly handled by the Secretary, the Governors appointed the Union Trust Company to serve as assistant Treasurer to the Society. The Society is to be congratulated on having thus secured an additional safe-guard at at only a slight expense; and, above all, having assured to itself the time of its treasurer which can now be devoted to constructive work and to valuable numismatic

ic reasearches which otherwise would have been lost owing to the consider-
~~able~~ and constantly growing amount of mere routine work now assumed by the assistant treasurer. The time thus saved to our regular Treasurer is of more value to the Society than many times the amount now being paid to the Union Trust Company.

In devoting their time this past year to the shaping and building up of the purely administrative departments of the Society, the Governors have not done as much constructive work in the other departments as they would have liked. Indeed, knowing in what capable hands the Curator's and Librarian's sections fortunately rest, we felt it was imperative to attack the weaker spots first. Also, in the two instances mentioned, it is evident that the work of the past year has countad for something. The SocietY's cabinet is now commencing to appear in correct shape and order; the Library has the greater part of its material in useful and usable form. The problems here are all of the immediate future and not of the past; - and now that the purely administrative sections have been put on a working basis we can gird ourselves for constructive work in these other fields. Both the Curator and the Librarian, at our suggestion, have drawn up reports dealing with the crying needs of the immediate future in their respective departments and I would particularly call your attention to these reports. Here we have great problems before us which ~~cry for~~ immediate solution. The Curator and the Librarian have done and are doing great work - it is now for the Society to give them its whole-hearted and immediate support for the reason that these two departments are two of the foundation stones upon which the continued existence and future greatness of this Society depend.

The third great stone is represented by our Journal, the 49th. volume of which appeared this past summer. It is pleasant to record the fact

that this latest volume is undoubtedly preeminent in quality of material and thought. Even so it but indicates that we are travelling in the right direction. Much remains to be done before we approach the goal of our ideals. The report of the Publication Committee will indicate this more definitely and clearly.

The fourth great corner stone of this Society is its membership. This has of late been shamefully neglected (with perhaps one or two exceptions) by the Society. New members have been few and far between in comparison to what should be the case. Old members have not been interested and kept 'au courant' with our affairs and interests as they should have been. This is the great field for the Secretary for whom we are lookig. May he soon appear ! In the meanwhile, a step in the right direction has been taken. The staff in this building is trying to build up a correspondence commensurate with our importance and position . We are opening up connections with our distant members and correspondents with a view to discovering their several interests and wants. Here is where the Society can accomplish a great service not only to its actual members but to the world of research in general. The staff is also making a great effort to attract and interest its members who either chance to live in and around New York or who happen to be sojourning in our city.

The service of which I speak we are rapidly as possible extending to non-members as well, both individuals and institutions such as Museums, Libraries, and Colleges. We desire this Society to have a world wide reputation as a centre of all numismatic knowledge and information - and particularly as the centre in the western Hemisphere.

Coming back to our members. We should keep the following policies

clearly in mind. First : with regards to Associate members : All persons of good character and standing , interested in numismatics or the objects and aims of this Society are wellcome and doubly welcome. Our policy ought to be to actively persue such persons until they have been induced to join. Speaking broadly, there is no limit to the numbers of of such persons that should become associate members of This Society. Secondly: with regards to the Life and Annual members of this Society. ~~Our policy~~ The number of this class of members is limited by our constitution to 150. Our policy should be to make of the 150 the 'Crème de la Crème' of American numismatic interests. Henceforth each person applying for such a membership should be subjected to a rigid scrutiny on our part in order to discover if he is worthy of becoming such a member. In other words, we look at the qualifications of such a member first - his dues shall be no object . Qualifications should be active interest in numismatics either as a collector or as a student or both. In certain cases persons perhaps not actively interested in numismatics but interested in subjects connected with numismatics and who may conceiveably be of value to us may , upon due consideration of his case - be elected . Thus we will make full membership in our Society both desirable and honorable - and the longer a waiting list we have for full membership the better. We wish it to be distinctly understood that we - as a Society - are conferring a favor upon a prospective member in allowing him to join the select and inner circleof American Numismatists - not he upon us in surrendering his check of $ 150 or his yearly check of $ 15. The same should, to an even greater degree, be the case with regards to our honorary or corresponding

membership. Let us make it a distinction to become an Honorary member of the American Numismatic Society and not a cheap favor we throw about indiscriminately ! A small but select list of the foremost numismatists of the world will do more for us in this line than pages of secondary names who may or may not be personages of local distinction.

In reviewing the work of the Governors for the past year and in making this report of their activities to the Council - in view of the coming elections - it is to be hoped that the members of the Council will keep the following points in mind. The work which has been initiated or suggested in the year which has just passed has actually only been begun. It is its very essence that it can never really be completed -it can always be amplified or extended. In addition we must realize that there are untold fields to which our activities can, and should, logically be extended. At the commencement of this report stress was particularly laid upon the fact that at last the Governors had awakened to the responsibilities of their position. The present board of Governors feels keenly the duties placed upon them by the Society and have, as never before, tried to face them squarely. Our Constitution and Bye-laws define clearly what shall consitute these duties and activities of the Governors and expressly state that the Governors shall be the officers of the Society - in other words that they shall not consider themselves an honorary body but an active and executive body with all that this means and entails. A Society such as ours - in the same manner as a great nation or an active #### business - either progresses or retrogrades, it cannot stand still and yet expect to exist and be useful for ever. Progression is undoubtedly based upon efficiency. This has been particularly strongly brought home to us in the lessons of the present war in Europe. We have recently seen, for the sake of greater

efficiency, the momentous changes introduced in the governments of France and England. The direction and has been placed in the hands of the ~~f~~ five most efficient men of the country. Our Society is at present also engaged in a great struggle against the dead weight of apathy and in)-difference. The framers of our Constitution and Bye-laws have given the Society an effective instrument to gain its ends in the creation from the body of the Council a board of five Governors to form the active and executive machinery of our government, which board is furthermore intended to deliberate with the Council at its meetings and then to act upon these deliberations, reporting its activities and progress at each meeting of the Council. In view, therefore, of the coming elections the present board of Governors, on the experience gained during the past year, would strongly recommend the Council to elect from its members for the Governors of 1917 only such persons as have the time, the leisure the ability and the energy to serve throughout the coming year, with its exacting demands, as the ~~##########~~ active and executive body of the Society.

Respectfully submitted,

Edward T. Newell

March 17th, 1916.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I called up your apartment to-day, and was informed that you had returned from the West this morning, which I was very glad to hear.

Please get around to the meeting to-morrow as early as possible. I have estimates from six painters, and Udall's estimate for doing the other work is promised before three o'clock to-morrow. We can, no doubt, find time either before or after the meeting to go over these estimates, and decide what to do so that we can go right ahead. I wrote to Mr. Ridlitz to-day, and asked him to come up to-morrow if he could possibly do so as he will, no doubt, be a great help. In fact his suggestions have simplified one or two matters very much already.

Mr. Reilly was here yesterday, and I suggested that he and Drowne get their heads together and decide what the Governors want to report on Saturday. He promised to get in touch with Mr. Drowne to-day, and see what they could cook up. The reports of the curator and librarian will be in shape, and you can decide when you come up just how they shall be presented.

Trusting that you had a pleasant and satisfactory trip, and with kind regards to you and Mrs. Newell, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

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THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY, BETWEEN 155TH AND 156TH STREETS
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June 27th, 1917.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite, Long Island.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

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Sydney P. Noe.

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INCOME ACCOUNTS.

Permanent Fund.

$225.17	Overdraft Dec. 31, 1917.		$225.17.	
	Interest collected on			
	Securities.....	$8,879.54		
	Annual Dues.....	1,713.65		
	Donation from Mr. Elliott Smith..	50.00		
	" " " E. D. Adams....	250.00		

Disbursements.

Sundries.....	67.47	638.74	
" Numismatist.....		212.51	
Union Trust Co.services,-		100.00	
Salaries.....		5,553.39	
Supplies.....		201.80	
Light.....		157.91	
Fuel.....		276.80	
Freight & Cartage.....		3.92	
Postage.....		195.43	
Stationery.....		218.25	
Telephone & Telegrams.....		59.68	
Repairs & Renewals.....		17.20	
Furniture & Fixtures.....	40.00	23.90	
Totals.....	$11,003.66.	7,884.70.	
$225.17 Cash Balance August 9, 1918.....			$3,118.96
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1000. " J. Sanford Saltus.....	1,000.00		1,000.00
" Robert Eidlitz.....	200.00		200.00
$1,024.83 Amounts carried forward....	$12,453.66.	7,884.70	$4,568.96

American Journal of Numismatics.

836.18	Cash Bal.Dec.31/17.. 836.18			
	Received..... 562.00	1,398.18		
	Disbursements.....		1,745.09	
	Overdraft Aug. 9/18.....			346.91

Publication of Medals.

1,322.21	Cash Bal.Dec.31/17.. 1,322.21			
	Received..... 436.28	1,758.49		
	Disbursements.....		281.50	
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The above statement will show you that in addition to having absorbed the deficit with which we began the year that we are fairly well fixed for the remainder of the year. The $250. credited to Sundries, War Medal Campaign Fund (Received from Mr. Adams) should really be added to the cash balance because it offsets the charges for the Hornaday affair which are charged above under the total of $638.74 against Sundries. You will recall that the $200. provided by Mr. Eidlitz was for membership campaign and is to be returned - that is $100. of it, because he promised Mr. Reilly to contribute $100 toward my raise of salary. I estimated that the amount necessary for salary expense, provided I got away about September 1st, is $3,121.41, which just about lets us through according to this showing. We have however still to be credited to the salary's account about $200 received from the Catskill Aqueduct and the F.B. Commissions medals, and $100 provided by Mr. Eidlitz before mentioned, dues from the members to be elected at the next Council meeting - 14 members, $70, and a few outhstanding bills which should give us about $500 all told for expenses between now and

January 1st. As we have just laid in stationery we should last for some months. Aside from the bills for coal and repairs we should be able to reach the first of the year with a small deficit only.

This, of course, does not apply to the Journal Account which is our sore sport. That was not taken up with Mr. H. at all. A letter is being sent out endeavoring to sellthe Index, Frey's Dictionary and full or partial sets of the Journal. I hope these will reduce our deficit but am not counting too heavily on them.

There are some slight corrections to be gone over with the bank in this but I think they will not affect the total radically.

21 BROADWAY
NEW YORK

April 1, 1918

Mr. Edward T. Newell, President
American Numismatic Society
156th St. & Bway., New York City

Dear Mr. Newell:

I thank you very much for your letter of March 30, sending me the communication that you have received from Mr. Mayo Dudley, of the staff of the "Washington Evening Star." I send you by this mail a copy of "Munsey's Magazine" for April, in order that you may see on page 605 the article by Mr. Dudley entitled, "The War Told in Medals." I think you will agree with me that, as an exhibition of medallic art, it is not a conspicuous success. Perhaps if you should invite Mr. Dudley, when he next visits New York, to see the collection of war medals of our Society, he may find occasion for another article upon this subject.

I also submit for your information and return at your convenience the following letters addressed to me upon the subject of the Eagle Medal:

General Pershing
Secretary of the Treasury McAdoo
Secretary of the Navy Daniels
Charles M. Schwab
Albert Kahn, of Paris
Mayo Dudley, of the staff of the "Washington Evening Star.

Please treat the enclosures as confidential.

Yours sincerely

Enc.

Addressed to President American Numismatic Society, returned with thanks.

May 25, 1918

Mr. Edward T. Newell
American Numismatic Society
Broadway & 156th St.
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I had a phone message from Mr. Wells Bosworth (?) this morning. He says you will remember having met him at Mr. [illegible] lecture. I think he is the architect of [illegible] Mr. [illegible] has spoken [illegible] than once. He says he wants to know where he can get one of those small [illegible] [illegible] for a [illegible] pin. He was [illegible] at Khayat's who, however, no longer has any.

He asked that you phone him next week when you are here saying that he would endeavor to come up if that was possible. I decided to send this [illegible] to you so that you might communicate with him on your arrival in New York rather than having to wait until you get up here which might be too late to have him come up.

Yours very respectfully,

Secretary.

May 27th, 1918.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
Hotel Gotham,
New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

This afternoon I had a phone message from Miss [illegible], evidently a Professor at Hunter College, saying that she would like to bring a class of young ladies who had been studying Greek art on Saturday afternoon of this week about 2.45. She at first asked for you. I said that I would communicate with you to see whether your convenience would permit your making arrangements to be here. I think she will come in any event, and of course we can show her the Society's things and the Morgan piece, but she had heard your lecture, and of course it would be far more desirable from every point of view if you could be on hand when she comes. Will you kindly phone me tomorrow (Tuesday) morning.

Yours very truly,

June 29th, 1918.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite,
Long Island.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

The letter from the New York Historical Society arrived this morning, and I have taken the liberty of opening it, and of having a copy made in order that Mr. Wood may know of its contents if he arrives Monday morning. Will you kindly phone us from Mr. Adams' office or as soon as you reach town in regard to the matter. As we agreed yesterday, a little firmness will probably make the conditions what we desire them. If you could arrange an appointment with Mr. Kelty so as to report the matter cleared up at the Council meeting that would be a gain, although perhaps there is no need for so great urgency.

Awaiting your word on Monday.

Yours very respectfully,

Secretary.

July 8th, 1918.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
The New Washington,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

We were sorry you did not get to New York Saturday, but I do not doubt that getting away left you plenty to do wherever you may have been.

Regarding the letters about the new medal, this was simpler than I had at first thought. As you said, the matter narrows down to a few only, and after consultation with Mr. Wood I have sent the letter, of which I enclose a copy, to the following:

Paul Manship
A. A. Weinman
Allen G. Newman
Theodore Spicer-Simson
Mr. and Mrs. James E. Fraser.

If you should see Mr. Gallatin soon you might mention that I am writing him today that he can have the Eagle Medal he wanted.

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

Friday night.

The Washington
Washington, D.C.

My dear Noe

Am rushing the enclosed Telegram off to you as the matter seems urgent. Probably you have already seen the copy Wood is supposed to have received. I have just sent a telegram to Mr. Saltus telling him that I was now down here, thanking him for his generosity, and saying that I am "reluctantly" forced to delegate the matter to you! This is certainly "passing the Buck" but I can hardly do otherwise and anyway you are the most active member

of the medal committee. As Mr. Saltus sets a date this would enable you to get the matter well in hand without the "assistance" of Mr. Waterbury who is now abroad. It will also meet Mr. Eidlitz's call with no expense to the Society. If you think it advisable this being such a peculiar case and such a special opportunity I think I could be empowered to appoint a special committee of you, Mr. Eidlitz and maybe Beatty or Dr. Thomson to get out the thing in a hurry. This will allow you to sidetrack Mr Adams. Let me hear from you. Please tell Wood that I will write him to-morrow — the first breathing spell I have had since I reached here — sincerely E. T. Newell

The Washington
Washington, D.C.

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EDWARD P NEWELL

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HIS MAJESTY THE KING OF BELGIUM AND HIS QUEEN HAVE FLOWN FROM BELGIUM TO ENGLAND HIS MAJESTY IS A MEMBER OF OUR SOCIETY IF THE SOCIETY WILL HAVE A MEDAL STRUCK IN HONOR OF THE FIRST KING OF THE AIR I WILL PAY FOR THE DIES AND ONE GOLD MEDAL FOR HIS MAJESTY THIS OFFER HOLDS GOOD UNTIL JULY 6 I PLACE THE MATTER IN YOUR HANDS MAKE IT

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TO MR WOOD TELEGRAPH ME WHEN YOU RECEIVE

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July 15, 1918

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
The New Washington
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

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There! Now you know how I feel about the latest Saltus proposition. Could you suspect it from the enclosure which better be examined at this point. We had a conference here Saturday morning which resulted in Mr. Saltus' agreeing that we might engage Spicer-Simson to do it after I got his figures on the 4th of July proposition. It was the consensus of opinion herethat he was perhaps best equipped for handling, in a decorative way, a piece which is going to require such a considerable legend. Mr. Saltus' idea was to have the busts of King and Queen Juggto on the obverse and simply a strech of sea with the low horizon line and a Bi-plane for the reverse. There would be a legend of course on both sides. So you see, it may develop into a surprisingly good medal. and be fairly popular. In the meantime the poor camel will have to buck up under this seemingly last straw.

I am enclosing a none too interesting looking letter which has arrived for you but which is evidently personal. We also have here Bulletin #3 of the American Hellenic Society - "Persecutions of the Greeks in Turkey Since the Beginning of the European War". Let me know if you wish it sent you. I was down at the Municipal Building this morning and now have the receipt to cover the final discharge of our assessment. Work on the exhibition goes on apace.

I hope your new work is proving to be without drawbacks. I went down to see Mr. Widlitz last Thursday and he told me, when I mentioned the fact that you were in Washington, that some friends of his had found

it more desirable to be without a Commission - that the Commission fixed ones rating in matters of pres dress and approach to such an extent as to make more desirable the liberty with which the non-commissioned man could move about. I am just mentioning this in the event that you may care to make inquiries along those lines before you finally commit yourself.

Very sincerely yours,

July 19, 1918

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
11th St. P. O. Box 534
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I am enclosing a copy of a letter to Mr. Spicer-Simson together with his letter to me, which kindly return. You will note that he offers to do the Belgian Medal "for what the Society could afford". He called me on the phone this morning but he declined to make any fixed price.

Weinman has offered to do the 4th of July medal for $300 - Newman wants to do it for $400. I am inclined to agree with Mr. Nidlitz that Mr. Newman might handle an allegoric l subject better than Mr. Weinman. I saw Mr. Weinman this afternoon and intimated that if he did not do the 4th of July medal, we might ask him to do the Saltus Prize Medal.

Now to go back to Spicer-Simson, do you not think we would be entirely fair in asking him to accept $800 for the Belgian Medal in view of the circumstances. Please let me have a prompt reply in order that I may settle this. The inscription we think of using is: obv. "To King Albert and Queen Elizabeth of the Belgians" This come here on a scroll or in the field, "Fortissimi sunt Belgae" which you doubtless recognize from the opening passage of Caesar's Commentaries, rev. commemorating their aerial flight across the English Channel, July 1918. What do you think of these.

I will write you again tomorrow if possible as I hope t to see Mr. Saltus then. You should get the letter by Monday morning.

Very sincerely yours,

July 20, 1918

Edward T. Newell, Esq
11th St. P. O. Box 534
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

I had a long talk with Mr. Fidlitz this morning and cleared up some matters very nicely. I note in your letter to me you said that Mr. Waterbury was "abroad". In the light of what you told me before you left, I understood that he was to be gone about two weeks. Is this correct?

With regard to this and preceding or following letters I shouldn't feel at all hurt if you simply took each paragraph that requires an answer and just wrote "yes" or "no", as the case might be, in the margin. Mr. Wood and I have been having a talk about the outlook for next winter. All sorts of rumors are about, one to the effect that even the churches will not be allowed coal. Mrs. Brett told us that she had heard, in connection with her work, that the Hispanic Society had been refused coal, and Dr. Stevenson intimated to Mr. Wood yesterday that they might close for the winter. I asked Mr. Huntington whether he was planning to come up here within a day or two. He said he was, and would let me know. This was early in the week and we have had no word from him. I proposed taking up the question of the coal bin on the adjoining lot with him - the point of the matter being, should we endeavor to get a lease from the American Academy people or be independent and blast out enough rock for the bin.

As I intimated before you left, I have been seriously considering volunteering for Y. M. C. A. work. I have filed an application. Their decision is pending. I have said nothing about the matter except as I spoke to you as I wished something definite before raising questions. It now seems advisable to request, at the

next meeting of the Council, a year's leave of absence with the privilege of extending it, provided my application is accepted. I wish to be able to leave things in such shape that much of the work will go on automatically, and I hope to have the medals, now in hand, well under way before I should have to go. In my application I indicated that I should not be available before August 17, and of course there is enough to do to keep me busy until the last minute of sailing. Mr. Wood tells me he is going to write you too.

Mr. Wyman will be able to relieve Mr. Wood somewhat of his Curator's responsibilities to such an extent that Mr. Wood can handle anything that may come up along the Secretary's line, and I believe it would be much better to handle the situation in this way than "to rush Mr. Wyman". Much of the Secretary's routine will be taken care of by Miss Reilly and it would be better to have questions of importance come to Mr. Wood rather than to anyone else.

Now in view of the coal situation and the conditions which will arise from the change as outlined above, both Mr. Wood and I are inclined to suggest to the Council at their August meeting (July??) that they now decide to close the Museum to the public as soon as the usefulness of the Insignia Exhibition is over. This has many advantages. It would enable Mr. Wood, aided by Mr. Wyman, to put the coin room in shape without interruptions which are so trying. In the event that Mr. Nash should leave, as there have been some signs of his doing lately, or in the event of Fred's enlisting or being drafted, neither of hich is a remote possibility, we should be much better off than if we had to keep up to the standard of previous years. Miss Reilly and her work could be transferred up stairs to the Library and Miss Meagher could do her librarians work there. By heating this room and the coin room by electric heaters, the winter could be tided over. Instead of marking time we should be making progress in the coin room and we feel there would be little loss of the effectiveness in the running of the Society under war conditions.

July 22, 1918

Dear Mr. Newell:

Referring to the accompanying card, which we took the liberty of reading; I called up the American Art Association People, and they inform me that copies of the ordinary catalogue, unillustrated, may be had for one dollar. There was a de luxe edition, and it did illustrate a few of the medals, but they have no more copies on hand. Shall I have them send two copies of the ordinary edition?

You will remember that the Metropolitan Museum secured a number of these pieces - how would it do to state the case to them, and ask whether they cared to send Dr. Hill copies of their registration photographs?

Mr. Huntington paid us a very unsatisfactory visit this morning - about the coal-bin. He thought we would better wall up the hallway on the 155th St. side and trust to getting through with what coal we could get in there. He mentioned that the museums might not be allowed to keep open this winter. I tried to get him to promise to attend the Council Meeting next Monday - he said he would see.

Today is a sizzler - Mr. Wood has just warned me that I would give this typewriter a hot-box if I didn't stop soon.

Yours very sincerely,

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MR SIDNEY NOE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

156 ST AND BROADWAY NEWYORK

HAVE JUST RECIVED YOUR LETTER CONCERINING MEDALS WE ARE CERTAINLY JUSTIFIED OFFERING SPICER EIGHT HUNDRED GO AHEAD WILL WRITE

EDWARD NEWELL.

July 23rd.

My dear Noe.

Speaking from the standpoint of the Society I am utterly dismayed at your threatened departure. The Society will undoubtedly close its doors in this event, or rescind the coin room, with all that it has in view, will keep Wood sufficiently engaged so that the remainder of our recent activities will undoubtedly go to blazes. My only hope is that the virus will not spread any further and attack Woods and Wymen. Without wishing you any disappointment I sincerely hope the Y.M.C.A. has

positive rules against accepting anyone with Hay Fever. But, joking aside, I know how you feel and the Society's activities can and must wait till after the war.

I am writing to Mr. Eidlitz concerning the coming Council meeting. I hope they can secure a quorum at this time of the year.

Please go ahead with the suggestions concerning Hill. I know he would greatly appreciate photos of the plaques and medals secured by the Metropolitan. Probably Beatty has one of the illustrated catalogues. I do not know what he does with them but you might be able, by judicious hinting, to find

out, and he might also be able to suggest where another could be secured in case he desired not to put with his.

I know you are not sufficiently busy at this time with models and so feel at perfect liberty to hand on to you an idea for another medal. Gallatin thinks that it would be an extraordinary opportunity to publish a medal with the portrait of Perling on one side and the inscription July 4th and on the other side a portrait of Foch and the inscription July 14th. I must say the idea is not at all bad but I do not believe Mr. Gallatin would care to relinquish his

equally good idea. Besides that I imagine things have gone too far at present anyway. However, next year Pershing and Foch will still be leading our armies and July 4th and July 14th will still be in the calendar and no doubt be celebrated with even greater enthusiasm. So this is an idea the medal committee - or Mr. Eidlitz as I hope he will be one of them this coming year - can salt away.

I am enclosing a letter which ought to go in our files.

Sincerely

Edward T. Newell

July 31st, 1918.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
11th Street, P. O. Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I have been flying about at such a rate that there has been no opportunity to write you since the meeting of the Council on Monday. The Council very generously allowed me one year's leave of absence to begin at a date to be assigned later, and a salary of fifty dollars a month during my absence. I think this is mighty nice, and I warmly appreciate their action. Matters crystallized overnight. I went to the Y.M.C.A. people for a conference on Monday and was accepted. The Council met at four o'clock with the results indicated above. Tuesday I was assigned to work with the Italian Army, and am to have two weeks of training at Columbia to begin August 29th, so it is possible I may get off early in September.

The work of the Italian Army promises to be very interesting as they said that much of it has to do with the officers, and their requirements are for men of pretty broad education, as the Italian officer is usually a gentleman and a scholar. They told me the two weeks at Columbia is going to consist of intensive cramming which is supposed to begin at eight in the morning and stop only at 10 P.M. but I imagine the canvas is painted a little over-darkly.

To-morrow I hope to be able to send you photographs of Mr. Spicer-Simson's sketches for the Belgian medal. The obverse is bully. Mr. Saltus insists on having what we consider the slightly inferior design of the two for the reverse, but it is not at all bad and by the time Spicer-Simson gets through with it, it may be even further improved. The Council were very much impressed with it I think.

Mr. Saltus is much pleased. He was here yesterday, and after commenting very favorably upon the appearance of the exhibition (which

really is remarkably fine) he pulled out of his pocket and presented with some pomp and circumstance one of the two known examples of the Confederate fifty cent piece. This will give us something to crow about in our annual report.

We received from the Cuban Red Cross a very impressive set of the five classes of their Order of Honor and Merit. They make quite a splurge of color for one of the side cases. They are sending us four other pieces of other Cuban organizations.

I wish you could be with us tomorrow night. It would be the crowning surprise of what promises to be a very successful occasion. Mr. Huntington has sent two signs for the occassion, which are very satisfactory. This is all the news I have for the present.

Yours very respectfully,

Secretary.

August 2, 1918

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
11th St. P. O. Box 534
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I am enclosing herewith two letters which have arrived for you.

The "Private View" last night was very successful everything being considered. As usual we had something to contend with however. The subway system changed over at 8.45 from the old scheme to the new X plan which complicated the situation considerably for every one. There were sixty-three present however, and every one seemed very much impressed with the completeness of the material and the way in which it was shown.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Cole were here. Mrs. Cole asked for you - said she had met you in Paris, I think. Mr. Cole is the son of Timothy Cole, the wood engraver. Both are very charming people. Dr. Kunz graced the occasion. We had a live major on view and the military tailors came out fairly well. Personally I enjoyed the Exhibition evening more than almost any other meeting we have had since I hve been here.

The New York Historical Society people are to send up their material today, as Messrs. Wood and Lyman are not to be allowed even a brief stay.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary.

August 3rd, 1918.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
11th Street, P. O. Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

The enclosed letter was among my mail, and I opened it before I noticed that it was addressed to you. Please pardon the oversight.

Mr. Huntington was in yesterday and was so pleased with the appearance of things that he pulled out his pocketbook and left a fifty dollar bill with Mr. Wood.

I am enclosing the photographs of Spicer-Simson's sketches. Kindly return them when next you write.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary:

August 6th, 1918.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I have received the two copies of the Pardini catalogues from the American Art Galleries for Dr. Hill together with their bill for two dollars. Do you want a memorandum to cover sent to him as he directs, or would you prefer to handle this in some other way. Please let me have your instructions in this regard.

August 7th, 1918.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
11th Street, P. O. Box 884,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I enclose a memorandum from Spink & Son regarding Duane's "Coins of the Seleucidae" which we have just received. Do you want us to sent it to you at Washington?

Do you want us to send you the Numismatic Chronicle which has just come? There are only two articles of importance - a continuation of Mavrogordato's Chios article and the article on the Coins of Severus and Gallienus by Oman. Perhaps the Notes of more importance - an illustrated article and some interesting identifications of the Roman monograms on Glass Weights.

For your information I am enclosing a carbon of a letter I am sending to Mr. Newman. This will indicate that the affair is gradually straightening itself out. I had a talk with Mr. Widlitz this noon, and the suggestion described is his. I also stopped at Mr. Adams' office while I was down presenting my application for passport, but he was not there today.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary.

Aug 7th

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NEW YORK

My dear Noe

Herewith I am returning various letters and telegrams that have been sent me. Also Spicer's design for the new medal. If it is as well carried out it certainly won't be bad. As you say the reverse not chosen by Mr. Saltus is far and away the best of the two!

At this point I gave up writing yesterday — my brain was sizzling and the water dripped off my hand so that it was ruining the paper. Our thermometer on the street and in the store registered 114° — that's going some. At the present moment we are in the midst of a gorgeous thunderstorm — so I am resuming

where I left off yesterday.

I certainly envy you being assigned to Italy – that would seem to me certainly the choice of all possible fields. Keep your eyes open for any discovery of Roman coins in digging trenches – not that I imagine you will do any digging but perhaps your constituents will. Also remember that when your victorious army enters Klagenfurt on the other side of the Alps, they have there a small but very choice collection of Greek coins. So any little unconsidered trifles in the way of loot you may there pick up they we will be more than delighted! This of course says nothing of Vienna – but it is needless to call your attention to that collection.

You mention the 1918 "Who's Who." I didn't need that any longer so put it in

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the Society's Coll.

I wished I could have been present at the opening of the Insignia Collection - it must be very impressive.

Send the Bardin Catalogues to Hill with the compliments of the Society - and the bill to me. That would be the simplest way out of that difficulty, particularly if I had thought they would have been any use to Hill I would have sent him a copy my way.

To-day I sent in my application for a Commission. Mr. Fielding is quite right, as I have discovered since I've been here. I, as a civilian volunteer, have great freedom as compared to the, an inferior of our officers in the Department - but

I would hit stay out of it for anything now and as we are all likely eventually to be in Europe I have gotten, as it were, a running jump. I am sure I don't know how successful I would be in securing a commission if I went to an Officers Training Camp and tried for field work. Here my past training gives me a good boost towards a commission and the training camp can always come later.

Let me know when you reach the other side and how you find things in Italy. If by any chance you get to Florence and stay there for a little while let me know as I have many friends living there.

For the present, a rivederci!

Sincerely

Edward T. Newell

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August 12th, 1918.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
[illegible] 11th Street, P. O. Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

Here beginneth Noe's daily news letter.

I received your card of the 9th this morning and am sending off some numismatic antidote for war weariness. I think you will be interested in the Seleucid book, not to mention the Numismatist.

A package containing about a dozen extra copies of Art and Archaeology arrived Saturday. If you wish them distributed, and will furnish me the addresses to which you desired them to go, I will undertake this.

I have sent the two [illegible] catalogues to Dr. Hill, and am enclosing a carbon of a letter to him in order that you may write him further if you so desire. I dislike to send you the enclosed bill because of its small amount - perhaps you had better send your cheque here for transmission inasmuch as they have made the bill in my name.

I have taken to heart you recommendation regarding Klagenfurt and Vienna. Dr. de Fremme tells me that no coins are permitted to leave Italy at the present time. Under the circumstances further instructions are requested.

The attendance at the insignia exhibition is picking up - Saturday 92, yesterday 211. The signs are on the fifth Avenue buses and look very well. Perhaps we can beat last year's attendance record.

We received a letter from Mr. Wulfing asking us to send him Evan's "Horsemen of Parrentum". You will recall that you had a copy of this bound up separately. As our set is bound in calf and will not travel well, I am taking the liberty of sending your cloth bound copy to Mr. Wulfing. I have hesitated quite a bit about taking this liberty but I hope you will not mind. Under other circumstances I think I should have written that I could not send the volume.

Aug 13th

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NEW YORK

My dear Noe.

Having nearly passed away of peevishness and heart failure to-day I will try and answer your letter as best I can. The day started out as a sizzler to begin with, and then our noble and gallant colonel called us around him and in a stern but gentle manner informed us that no more commissions would be handed out! If it had it been so hot I wouldn't have minded, as generally I don't use awfully one way or the other so long as the one other in the same fix. Everybody went wrong in a far from inconsiderable ground, and as the day grew hotter so did we. This evening at 6 the same gallant colonel of the home guard once more gathered his brood about his knees and unburdened himself of the War Dept's latest pronunciamento to the effect that it didn't know what it was talking about this morning and everything has been forgotten and forgiven. My side partner St. Thisfall, who has been here since last summer, says the fun is only just beginning and this sort of blast and counter blast will probably keep up the rest of the year until finally we shall all probably be given

our commissions or just simply drafted. In which case we would all probably be assigned to Kitchen Police following the highly intelligent previous actions of the war Dept.! I envy you your trip to Italy and am almost thinking of joining the YMCA myself

Am delighted that you have sent some unanimate reading – something to look forward to.

You might also send me a copy of art and archaeology. It isn't on sale here in Washington where it's published! Another copy you might send to Mrs Newell at Halesite. Keep one for the society, and the remainder – do anything you like with them. Send one to Baker – that would be sufficient revenge for what I went through to-day

You did quite right about 'Hoffman of Tarentum'. Where we knows the party and the binding of the book isn't too good to be damaged, and the reason is more or less scientific, I haven't the least objection – provided the decision is made by either you or Wood, as I know it would be.

Received I am sending my thanks for the Bibliothecae catalogues

Let me hear from you from your training camp and the stunts they make you do

Best wishes to all,

Sincerely

Edward T. Newell

August 17th, 1918.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street, P. O. Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I had a highly interesting and fairly successful conference with Mr. Huntington this morning. He was in fine fettle and for the first and only time I think I had a very enjoyable visit at his office. Compliments flew thick and fast, some of them hit you, and being the nearest target I got a few. Perhaps the best indication of Mr. Huntington's pleasure can be conveyed through his delighted exclamation "But do you mean to tell me that you have a cash balance of over three thousand dollars!"

Just as I wrote you my visit was a strictly informal one with very searching quiz for which I was carefully prepared. The eagle medal got it first. It was intimated that the atrocity was deliberately planned for the purpose of ruining the reputation of the Society. I countered by explaining how it was wished on us, laying some share of the responsibility to your inexperience as President at that time as well as to the fact that you did not then have the advice of members of the Council more experienced in the production of medals. It was intimated that we must take some steps for preventing the like occurring again, and I stated that this had already been done. Then I produced the photograph of Mr. Spicer-Simson's Belgian medal. Mr. H. did not seem to think it remarkable, caviled at the excessive blankness in the center of the reverse but was quick to realize the different aspect put upon the matter by the inscription "Fortissimi sunt Belgae", which he locked up in his Caesar then and there.

Mr. Huntington thinks that we should have a Committee composed of sculptor members capable of passing upon the artistic desirability of such medal designs as are submitted. He suggested MacMonnies, Manship and Miss Hyatt. I told him you had power to appoint such a

Committee, and that you would probably do so - that a similar Committee had turned down the Brenner-Red Cross Medal, and that I had provided in my negotiations for the 4th of July medal and the Saltus Award medal that the designs must be submitted to the approval of our Committee, not stating who composed the Committee. Miss Hyatt is not a member, but I had the satisfaction of pointing out that each of the other two were members and that they had become members during our last drive, and that the drive had increased our membership one hundred per cent or more - (the returns from the four hundred letters sent to the A.N.A. list were fifteen). Can you not appoint some such Committee, whether of the persons named or others who can just as well fill their places is immaterial, to whom the Newman and Weinman designs will go before they are submitted to Mr. Waterbury's Committee? Perhaps you will be able to see some better way out of it. In the case of the Belgian medal I think you will have to provide the explanation to Mr. Waterbury that because of his absence you were compelled to take matters into your own hands because the delay would have been prohibitory. I explained to Mr. Huntington the procedure we had adopted in securing estimates for the 4th of July medal which interested him very much. I also stated we were going ahead with the Saltus Award medal for which Weinman is to submit a sketch with the understanding that he is to receive eight hundred dollars for the finished work if he is given carte blanche with regard to the design and form.

Mention was made of the fact that the Huntington Medal had been awarded to you during the year and Mr. Huntington came forward with the suggestion that he thought it should be awarded to Mrs. Frett, and he asked me to see if that could not be put entrain before I leave. Mr. Wood and I are very much pleased to have the suggestion come from him in this way because as you know it is something we had contemplated for some time, and the awarding of it during the winter will add interest to some meeting.

The Journal situation did not come up at length but I pointed out that that was the single account in which there was a deficit. The absence of any "unfortunate breaks" on my part made the morning a most enjoyable one, and Mr. Huntington was unquestionably very greatly pleased with the showing we had made, and I do not doubt that he will so express himself to you at the first opportunity.

August 20th, 1918.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street, P. O. Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

We had a gathering of the clans here yesterday afternoon, both Mr. Spicer-Simson and Mr. Saltus being on the scene, with the result that they left in a happy frame of mind and Wood and I collapsed immediately afterwards. This morning we received Mr. Saltus' cheque for $1315.

In sending out the circulars offering the medal to members we have heretofore had them signed by the members of the Committee. You suggested appointing a special committee in this case. How would it do to make this special committee Mr. Saltus, Mr. Beatty, yourself and me, or do you think we ought to add Mr. Adams' name and that the matter should be presented for his concurrence at this point?

I am off to the Bank to try to get them to straighten out their statement, and to get my uniform. Training begins tomorrow.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary.

Aug 26th

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NEW YORK

My dear Wood.

My well known promptness in immediately answering all letters has been sadly damaged these past ten days. Owing to the fact that I fell down on my physical examination the doctor has put me on a vegetable diet and a ten hour or more sleep day which meant that all I did was to work, eat and sleep and nothing else. To-day I passed the second physical exam. O.K. and have immediately fallen off the diet waggon and am celebrating the event by answering a few of your recent letters. Before I forget — recently I have made friends with a very interesting Englishman in our Dept. who seems to be some kind of an archaeologist and writer and who has spent a number of years in India. He there knew Vincent Smith and several others of our Indian numismatic friends. I wonder if at my expense you will have a photograph made of Plate III of the recent no. of the Numismatic

Chronicle (1918 Part I). My friend is interested in the Roman regimental insignia there illustrated and is writing an article on the same. When you have had it photographed please send it to Ralph Graves Esqr., Sunday Edition N.Y. Times. My friends name is C. Johnston Esqr.

I am enclosing check and Bill for photographing my coins. You are quite right the work is not wonderful, but I suppose we will have to let it stand and blame the Kaiser. However you might have the four coins, which I have so marked, come over again. Particularly no. 1 which must be better so that it can be contrasted with no. A. Also, could you change the lighting on no. 2 so that it would contrast better with no. B where a high light seems to come from above.

I am sorry about Marvin. Just before your letter arrived I received an unexpected bill for 3 years fire insurance on my Huntington house which cleaned me out of all ready cash. If he is in a hurry why not have the society pay the bill now I am

the statement it looks as if we had a little spare cash) and I will reimburse the Society early in September when my next instalment comes in.

With other things I have also been delayed in signing those "acknowledgements but I hope to get them off to you in a day or so.

All packages sent me arrived safely and undamaged and contained all that I was looking for — so many thanks for the trouble.

I have not yet been successful in locating anyone here who can put me in touch with the Adjutant General's Office. I had been in hopes of getting some one to "make smooth the way" as the Assyrians say, but so far without success. It looks as if I would just have to bust in and try my luck.

As I have a number of other people also to whom I owe for long over due letters, I'll say 'so long' for the present

Sincerely

Edward T. Newell

P.T.O.

I am also returning book catalogue.

Please order for me the following:

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→ Please look this up I thought I had a copy but I don't remember the plates.

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" ~~332~~	"	fr 10	
" 477	Sestini	fr 10	

→ Please look up. I [illegible] have two vols. but I do not remember the third.

" 569	Fourtin	fr 5
" 654	Maddalena	fr 6
" 722	Tyskiewicz	fr 4
" 867	Markoff	fr 20 –

Aug 26!

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NEW YORK

My dear Noe

Am exceedingly sorry not to have been able to answer your two recent letters before this. In view of the fact that I fell down on my physical exam. 10 days ago the Dr. put me on a strict diet and a regimen of 8-9 hours work, 12 hrs sleep and the remainder spent in eating or walking. To-day I passed my exam. O.K. and so promptly proceed to fall off the diet-sleep waggon by writing and smoking and having a regular time!

Your recent visit to Mr. Huntington amused me greatly. He has some nerve cavilling at the artistic level of certain medals after he passed the J. Borglum Livingston atrocity! The suggestion of appointing a committee of real artists to pass on medals is fine — but are you sure it will work? With you and my three self-same artists, wont to a stroke of work, believe me. Incidentally, I have my own opinion of artists' nature, having had several in the sphinxy and been brought up with them. A committee of one artist work splendidly — but a committee of several! Well they are too — [illegible]

Kilkenny cats! or the alternative – which is worse – not at all. It seems to me that the present committee or a similar one, possessing a certain amount of taste or artistic sense but not actually being artists will work better. But this is only my private opinion and maybe I am quite wrong having been warped in my youth.

Your suggestion of appointing Herbert Adams, however, seems to me a good one. If you still think it would be wise to put in Manship and some other artist instead of say, Beatty and Mr. Eddity please have Wood send me the letters for my signature (if that is necessary – under the present circumstances I should think such letters could go out directly from the society under the secretary's signature).

The official committee for sending out the circulars is excellent with Saltus, Beatty, and yourself. Go to it.

Also that is fine idea to present the Huntington medal to Mrs. Brett. She deserves it if any one does and steps ought to be taken to have this brought about at the annual meeting.

This will have to suffice for the present as I have a pile of letters to catch up with because of my 10 days rest.

With best wishes in your present training, Edward T. Newell

August 27th, 1918.

My dear Newell:-

I trust that you are well and happy and not so worked to death that you find no time for letter writing.

I am enclosing an impression of a phoney coin from Caskey thinking possibly you would like to see it.

Spicer-Simson has finished the Belgian medal and has turned it over to Weil. Noe was telling me I think that you were going to appoint a committee either on this or on the 4th of July medal, and as I can find no committee on my records here I was wondering if you had appointed any.

I understand Meyer & Meyer's Uniform Outfitters in Washington have that blue service chevron I wrote about in my last letter.

Very truly yours,

August 31st, 1918.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O., Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

Your letter of the 28th gave me a great deal of pleasure - especially the blarney part. Referring to Mr. Huntington's suggestion about the Committee of Artists to pass on our medals, Mr. Wood tells me that Mr. Huntington was here early in the week, and that he expressed himself with being much pleased with a Society such as ours, "which was doing things". What I should like to do is to send him a quotation from your letter expressing your point of view regarding his suggested committee - said except to be duly censored of course, but do you not think that it would not only please him more but have better results if you should take this matter up directly with him as one that I had referred to you, stating your objections but also expressing that you hoped to embody a suggestion in your appointments for the coming year. This would relieve you of the necessity of appointing an extra committee at the present time, and save Mr. Whitmarsh's feelings perhaps. There would then be no conflict between the two committee where their duties overlapped. You might explain to Mr. Huntington that we were planning to make Mr. Herbert Adams, President of the National Academy of Design, an Honorary Fellow, and that if he accepted you had thought of appointing him on the committee.

With regard to the Belgian medal, Mr. Wood has gotten around the thing for mentioning the names of the members composing the committee at the end by simply having it signed "The Committee on the Publication of the Medal to King Albert and Queen Mary of the Belgians". There is therefore no need for appointing this special committee. We are going to have the folder a little better done than with previous ones, and I think you will approve it when you receive it. Mr. Wood saw the pamphlet reduction yesterday, and has written Mr. Spicer-Simson about it. I think it is going along well, and should be ready for mailing about the first of October.

The week at Columbia was a great experience. I barked my knees

and elbows on the athletic field and got as stiff as an old horse before it was over but there was lots of fun in it. They discovered that I had had a year of Italian and a number of the fellows formed a little group and we studied together. I never had so much appreciation shown me, and it was great sport. We are in now what is known as the Continuation Conference with two hours of language study in the morning and drills and hikes in the afternoon. My passport has not cleared yet, and of course there will be no moving until that happens. Yesterday at drill after they had explained carefully how one must give any fly or bee who might attack himself to your face free transportation while you were at attention, I proceeded to succumb at the informing officer on the spot, and not once only at that. Oh, the joys of hay fever!

I hope your physical program has not worn you out, and I congratulate you on having passed your exam. There is a strong possibility of my passport coming through within the next two weeks - when it does I may have to leave within from 24 to 48 hours time.

With kindest regards, and hoping that you will realize that I shall be glad to hear from you after I get started, I am,

Yours very sincerely,

Secretary.

September 25th, 1915.

My dear Newell:-

The enclosed copy of a letter strikes me as very good. We have called a meeting of the Council to act upon it for Monday, September 27rd. We would very much like to have your proxy on this so as to be sure of a quorum, also whichever way you decide would probably be very beneficial to the Council. If you do not think that a letter would reach Mr. Ridlitz in time could you mind telegraphing your yes or no.

Very truly,

Mr. Robert James Ridlitz,
30 East 42nd Street,
New York.

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EDWARD HAWELL.

November 9th, 1918.

Dear Newell:-

Many thanks for the clipping on Insignia, &c. I am inclined to think that I will close up the exhibition as I am getting ready to put out a large exhibition commemorating peace, and you may know we have a good many of the 16th, 17th and 18th centuries commemorating the various peaces and truces.

On December 5th we have a meeting on Charles XII of Sweden whose birthday happens around then. Frey is going to do the talking.

Do not forget to give me instructions about the coins to go back to Chapman.

We are planning to get the Saltus Award Medal out for the Annual Meeting, therefore a Committee should be appointed to pick out some deserving artist and award it to him. Why not make Beatty Chairman with Fidlitz and Reilly on the committee? The present Medal Committee, that is the Committee that gets out the medals, is composed of Waterbury, Adams and Moe. It is almost impossible to get these three together, and I am going to try to get Reilly to go down to see if they do not want to have some others added to it. If this goes through who would you suggest putting on the committee? I should think Beatty would be a good man. I do not want to be on it as I have all I can attend to. You probably will get out a couple of more medals right off - a peace medal and another commemorating the liberation and independence of Slavic nations.

Did you see the picture in last Sunday's Times of S.H.F.Pell on crutches? He has been wounded, and I think he has received the Croix de Guerre.

Very truly,

November 16th, 1918.

Dear Newell:-

I am sending you a letter presenting the gold medal to the King of the Belgians. We would very much appreciate your signature to this document, and when so done, please return to me so we can forward it with the medal.

Very truly,

November 25th, 1918.

Dear Newell:-

Here are two letters to sign, which you can mail directly to their nibs.

Reilly is still on a murder trial jury, and Captain Adams of the Intelligence Branch was in here today. Means was up at the Geographical, but did not come in here. I think he has gone to Boston, and hope he will blow in later.

Very truly,

November 26th, 1918.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

The Powers That Be have decided that there is not much matter in Heavy Artillery for a numismatist and have fired me, consequently I am looking for trouble at the old stand and from what Mr. Wood has already been able to tell me I should judge that I shall not have to look far or long. The attack of influenza which I enjoyed during the greater part of my stay at Fort Monroe is going to necessitate that I take things rather slowly for awhile at any rate.

Your books have come back from the binders and appear to be in good shape. I am wondering if we shall see you in the near future and whether there is anything of importance which you would prefer that I take up first.

With best wishes that your Thanksgiving dinner may be a hearty one.

November 27th, 1918

My dear Mr. Newell:-

A few days ago Dr. Thicher, the secretary of the Archaeological society came up here and said that there was to be a convention of the Archaeloricsl Institute in New York during the Christmas holidays, and he wished to arrange for the members of the convention to visit our Museum on either Dec. 27 or 28, the exact date to be determined later.

Mr. Wood was out so I assumed the responsibility of assuring Dr. Thicher that we would be most pleased to receive the archaeologists. When Mr. Wood returned he endorsed what I said and then told me to take charge of whatever arrangements were necessary which was rather more than I had bargained for but which accounts for this letter to you. I thought perhaps the combination of peace and Christmas might mean that you would be in New York at the time of the expected visitation, in which case I could tell Dr. Thicher that your collection would be available, assuming of course that

this woul be satisfactory to you.

I suppose you will hear shortly, if you have not already heard, that Nae's military career has come to an untimely (I doubt that he could agree with the adjective) end and that he is back on the job.

Sincerely yours,

P. S. I have just noticed that I left a letter out of each of my first two "archaeolomicals" so will supply them here.

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EXECUTIVE DIVISION
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE ~~BRANCH~~ Division
In replying refer to

WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF
WASHINGTON

Nov. 29th.,1918.

My dear Mr. Noe :-

The good news of your return makes us all breathe once more, I can indeed see the broad smiles of Mr. Reilly and Mr. Wood when they know that once more you are to be found ensconced in the library and all they have to do is to refer things to you for action. I am glad to see the old guard is gradually reassembling after the 'alarums and excursions' of war and hope that it won't be long before the War Dept. comes to the conclusion that it can get along better without any numismatists at all. I am quite ready to be fired, but ugly rumours are coursing around our office these days that we are going to be retained until the Peace Conference is over as we are daily sending over dope for the gentlemen at Versailles. It is keeping us fairly busy without much hope now of being ourselves expressed across. So I would give a good deal to be back in New York preparing my own material for my after-the-war activities. But I suppose everything eventually comes to him who waits - so here I am on guard duty to-night. This gives me just about the only opportunity I get these days of doing much writing.

I am glad to hear my books have come back from the binders. Later on I may send for one or two just to keep me from getting numismatically stale.

Undoubtedly the threatening activities of the various medal committees will keep you fairly busy these next few months if all that has been threatened comes to pass. Spicer-Simson is probably not letting any grass grow under his feet in reminding the Society that he has of late been designing a Peace Medal. Let me know how any contemplated medals are progressing. I very much doubt if I can get up to the city this year or even for the Annual Meeting - but you never can tell. Mr.Baker may even now be drawing up my 'raus damit' papers.

With best wishes,

Sincerely, Edward T. Newell

December 11th, 1918.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

If my memory is correct you got off lightly because my last letter required no answer. So if this one makes up in that regard you will still be without cause for complaint. What we would like to have as soon as may be in order that we may in some measure be governed by it is your Annual Address for the business meeting, which, as you know, comes early in January. Can you plan to be here?

Dr. Torrey was here yesterday, and he and Mr. Wood negotiated a swap in memberships - he becoming a member of our Society and Mr. Wood of the Oriental Society. The results are very satisfactory for both.

It now looks as if we should have a real peace medal competition. This was limited to members as you will recall, and the returns from some twenty odd letters sent out to date show eight acceptances, a possible ninth, and only two positive declinations, the balance not having yet replied, if they intend doing so. We have secured one additional member through this agency and may get more.

Another very pleasant circumstance is that since the meeting of Council on December 2nd five applications for membership have been signed despite the fact that we have not been making any effort to secure them.

The Saltus Award Medal is coming along nicely. I saw it in Weinman's studio last week, and it is a beauty.

We have been approached by Miss Davison, a sister of the Red Cross head, with a request that we loan our case of decorations of the present war for display in Dreisers' show window, 5th Avenue & 47th Street, in connection with the coming festivities, and with a view to securing a copy

of our Distinguished Service Cross and the Distinguished Service Medal, Miss Davison has gone to Washington today (?), with a request for a copy of each for our Society's collection!

I am sending this chatter in order that you may realize we have a promising year ahead of us. If we could only count on having you back to lead our cohorts we could be almost contented. Hope you keep well and too busy to become unhappy.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary..

December 18th, 1918.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O.,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

Glad to have received a letter from you this morning. I expect to see Mr. Beatty soon and will write you later.

Regarding your Annual Address Mr. Yost and I are wondering if you could use as ammunition the thought that while most art and educational institutions have been marking time or fast losing ground ours has been doing quite to the contrary. This would sound better coming from you than any of the others of us.

Captain Field is not the only one boosting the Society. I saw Mr. Kelby this morning, and he told me that he had mentioned to Mr. Huntington that we had a "live bunch" up here! I saw Newman's model for the 4th of July medal, and I think it is pretty fine. The peace medal competition brought acceptances from nineteen out of twenty-eight of our sculptor members, so it looks as though we should be able to count on a design that was worth while.

Do you plan to see New York during the holidays?

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

December 19th, 1918.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street, P. O.,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

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Now about the Saltus Award Medal and the committee for its award. When Mr. Reilly's Committee was discharged (at the May meeting) the matter was left in the hands of the Publication of Medals Committee who were instructed to go ahead and produce the medal. It was my impression that you appointed or planned to appoint for this Award Committee Messrs. Beatty, Figlitz and Dr. Thompson because of the way they had handled the Brenner medal. I may be entirely mistaken in this but in any event I can find no record here of such an appointment having been made. We may have come to this conclusion and received only your verbal assent to it. The only difficulty with the Committee I have mentioned is that Dr. Thompson has been and probably is still seriously overworked with influenza and other conditions due to the return of wounded soldiers. The time is getting very short, and the difficulty of connecting with him is therefore an element for consideration. If you have no suggestion for the third man, might it not be well to leave his appointment to the other two members of the Committee? If they feel inclined they could add further to their number from among the

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Please pardon the interminableness of this letter - I need hardly point out how great a help a prompt decision on your part would be.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

December 28th, 1918.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street, P. O. Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

The attendance of the Archaeologists yesterday was not large but as Dr. Robinsons of Johns Hopkins and a pupil of his did succeed in getting here I enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon. Both of them want to come again and Miss Hadley says she would like to join. Have you invited Dr. Robinson to do so?

I had a talk with Mr. Huntington while working in the Hispanic Society Library last week one noon hour out of which there was developed the suggestion that we have the first meeting of the Council for the new year at Mr. H's office instead of at Mr. Fidlitz's. Could you by any means be present? You will remember that it occurs on Monday, the 6th. Could you possibly secure a week end leave and extend it until Monday evening. This will be a very important meeting inasmuch as Mr. Belden's resolutions anent the Governors must be "sat upon" hard. In discussing them Mr. H. stated - "if you do away with the Governors, you do away with my interest in the Society". Does it not seem important that it be made clear at that time either by you or Mr. Reilly that the other members of the Council never have favorably considered these amendments and that we thought they would be thrown out last year because the Council had not sanctioned them for last year's annual meeting, and that now it must be what it failed to do then take a positive stand in opposition to them which will forbid their presentation at the annual meeting. As Mr. Belden will, presumably, hardly care to be present at the meeting, Mr. Huntington may take the opportunity to relieve his mind, and having been disabused with regard to some of the matters concerning which he may still feel irritable, may resume the cooperation which we have been missing for the past two years.

Mr. Huntington heartily approved of the methods we were using with regard to the peace medal competition, and it was something of a satisfaction to tell him that one of the artists he suggested for the jury was a competitor and therefore ineligible and that another, whom he had mentioned sometime ago, had since joined and was also competing. He was also pleased

to know that the Council has prescribed that ~~hitherto~~ henceforth there must be a committee with a representation of artists to pass on our medals before they were finally published. I think the time is ripe for a effort to re-awaken Mr. H's interest and it would be a great help if you could be here, as you will realize. If you can possibly come, will you let me know as soon as possible because I shall have to be governed accordingly, and arrange that either Mr. Reilly or some one else take the meeting in hand so that it will go off with some snap.

With the best of wishes for a happy New Year,

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Secretary.

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BROADWAY AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET
NEW YORK

DEC. 3 [illegible]

My dear Noe.

The coming meeting of the Council is undoubtedly one of the most important we have had and I wish I could be present. Unfortunately our office is run with strict military discipline and no deviation is allowed — particularly now that the signing of the armistice threatens demoralization in many quarters. The strict time for my leave does not come round for two months yet and I can see myself — if I presented my request to our gallant but very military Col. Dunn — being instantly kicked down the stairway to the accompaniment of a fine string of army oaths advising me to go to where it was hot.

If I passed away tomorrow I don't believe the Col. would give me leave to attend my own funeral. I am awfully glad to learn that the meeting is to be held at Mr. Huntington's office as that means that he will certainly be present. If possible all members of the Council should be called up on the telephone before hand so that there will be no doubt that they will be there. Concerning Mr. Belden's proposal do you know anything about the general feeling concerning it in the Society? Last year after the annual meeting I talked to a dozen of the members and they all said that at that time they would not have voted for it. If they still feel the same way (of this we must make sure, first) the Council might consider the advisability of allowing

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it to come up at the meeting but with the distinct understanding that the Council does not approve of it. This is only a suggestion that occurred to me and I have not thought it out and therefore present it here only tentatively. The idea in my mind is that if the project is out on in public meeting and approved it will never again bother us. If the proposition is again choked off in Council Mr. Belden will continue indefinitely to present it to the end of time to the annoyance of everyone. Also the general society - hearing rumors and whispers etc - will wonder what it is all about and feel something important is being kept from them - a very bad situation. Mr. Sellers

personally told me last year that he was not in favor of the project and therefore it is something of Belden's own planning and for this reason I think there is little danger but that it can be squashed openly and so definitely.

What do you and Reilly think about the situation?

With best wishes for the New Year,

Yours in haste

Edward T. Newell

P.S. A great many thanks for the very clever and amusing card you sent us – it was by far the most clever I have seen.

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January 3rd, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O., Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Newell:-

Things have been moving along in great shape here, and we are all busy with our annual reports, &c, and we are conferring with one another so as not to duplicate too much what we have to say. Have you got your address ready so that it could be taken up by the Governors who are going to meet Monday, or if not could you send an outline of it?

I think there will be nineteen to compete for the Peace Medal, and the competition will be already on the 15th. We are still feverishly awaiting a letter from you concerning your ideas on who should be on the Award Jury, as this should be gotten together right now.

Very truly,

January 7th, 1919.

Night letter to Mr. Edward T. Newell.

Have you received from Saltus proposal for Joan of Arc Medal? Am sending special delivery with details. Wire by noon Wednesday whether you have already sent approval to Saltus.

G. P. NOE

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
c/o Mrs. Blaine,
133 C Street, S.E.,
Washington, D. C,

January 7th, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O., Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

We received today the telegram quoted in the carbon of the letter to Mr. Waterbury. I am unable to decide whether Mr. Saltus means that he has already obtained your approval or that we must obtain it. I hope you will approve the procedure outlined in the letter to Mr. Waterbury, copies of which were sent to Mr. Adams and Mr. Beatty also. I think we need not fear being settled with a poor design at Miss Hyatt's hands - in any event this is a gamble we should have to take for any one else to do it. If the medal committee approves I will wire Mr. Saltus tomorrow.

With cordial New Year wishes,

Very respectfully,

Secretary.

January 11th, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O., Box 534,
Washington, D. C?

Dear Mr. Newell:-

The Council at its meeting on the 6th directed the publication of the Proceedings in a style similar to that we used last year - that is in the size of the Numismatist issue rather than that of the big Journal size Proceedings of two years ago. The list of Standing Committees is prefixed and that of the members added. May I ask that you let me have any directions regarding the Standing Committees for 1919 as promptly as may be.

Mr. Eidlitz, in a telephone conversation this morning, suggests that he would like to be relieved from the Chairmanship of the Committee on Foreign Coins. He thinks Dr. Thompson's interest such that he would more effectively handle this. He is willing to serve under him although he states that he would be glad to be relieved from any duties in connection with the Committee if some one else could be found.

The Committee on Masonics will, of course, be dropped, and the "Saltus Medal" will become the Saltus Medal Award Committee to consist, in accordance with the vote of Council on the 6th, of Messrs. Beatty, Thompson and Eidlitz.

The Committee on United States Medals, Latin America and War Material have accomplished very little during the year, but there seems little occasion for change.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

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NEW YORK

Jan 13

My dear Noe.

Thanks for your letter of Saturday. I am glad to hear the meeting went off so successfully and that Mrs Brett was given the Huntington medal. It is rather difficult to appoint suitable members of the various Committees at this dis time – especially as I do not happen to possess a list of the old members. I certainly agree that now the Masonic Committee can die a long deferred death. Should there not be an action on the part of the Council to that effect? or has this already taken place? I think we ought to respect Mr. Eckfeldt's request and so I would appoint Dr. Thomson as Chairman of the Foreign Medals (not coins as you stated in your letter)

Committee. Unless you can suggest some one to fill the Mr. Fidelity's place on the Committee we can ask him to continue to serve as a simple member. Cannot the Committee on War Material be either dropped or its personnel changed seeing they did little work? The other committees can be kept unchanged unless you have some bright idea. You, Reilly and Wood might turn this over and send me a "slate" with notes or suggestions and I can then make the definite appointments. This ought to be the quickest and most satisfactory way under present circumstances.

I am looking forward to your letter describing the annual meeting.

Sincerely,

Edward T. Newell

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Jan 14

My dear Nol.

Enclosed I am sending you a letter received this morning. I replied to Mr. Barr and told him I would do what I could and would refer the matter to you. The Yale Library is evidently anxious. I am not proposing to furnish the Journal to them gratis at my expense for the rest of time. I think, though, that you might be able to arrange some exchange system as I know for this very purpose the Yale Library draws on the Yale University Press. There is not much chance that we can secure much numismatic material but still they might publish things in archaeological or historical lines that might be of use to us.

Anyway our Society ought to benefit in some way, unless the Council would like to make a special offer - which however I would not advocate for future publications but only in the case of old issues. I bound neither our Society or myself in my answer to Mr. Bem.

Did you ask Mr. Robinson to join the Society? If not I will ask him the next time I see him which I expect will be next week. You might send down some blanks and some of our folders so that I can carry on some propaganda for our Society here.

Will you please send me "The Find of Anadol" by Pridik bound in blue buckram which you will find among my books. It is in Russian and I have made friends here with an Englishman who has promised to translate it for me. I would like to get him busy before he forgets his promise.

With best wishes

Sincerely

Edward T. Newell

January 14th, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street, P. O. Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

Your letter of the 13th reached me this morning. The Annual Meeting on Saturday was so successful that there is really little to say about it, and this despite the absence of the report from Council. You will recall that last year we placed one in Mr. Brown's hands for his reading, a circumstance of which I was unaware when I asked him if he had prepared the Council's Report when he arrived on the scene. He promptly turned to Mr. Reilly who said he hadn't made one.

I was directed to report to you that "your address was warmly appreciated, and to express the cordial good will of those present". Mr. Adams was here and he called up on Sunday to arrange for getting two silver medals, and said that he had greatly enjoyed the reports and expressed his appreciation for having been made an Honorary Counsellor for life. This enabled us to reconsider Mr. Pell a Counsellor. Mr. Widlitz was present and had a good time, and apparently every one else did. Mr. Wood had some of the German medals sent us by Schulman, which he had at last pried loose from the Customs House, and they furnished an interesting exhibit after the meeting. Mr. Waterbury called Sunday afternoon - was impressed with our new cabinets, had some of the Morgan pieces shown him as well as a number of the more recent medals. He was much gratified at the turn the Joan of Arc medal situation had taken. He said he felt he was "the most useless piece of furniture about the place". As soon as you get back I hope this can be remedied.

You will be interested to know that the Jury for the Peace Medal Competition is to be Mr. French, Mr. Weinman and Miss Cecilia Beaux. Two of the designs are already here. The others are due by tomorrow. Did you get my letter asking an amendment to the Saltus proposition?

January 15th, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O., Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

Replying to your letter of the 14th I am sending the volume of Pridik to-day, and I enclose herewith the folders and membership cards for which you ask. You will note that half of them "A" Medal folders and the balance the general folder.

I did not ask Dr. Robinson to join the Society because I felt that an invitation from you would be more likely to insure results. The young lady who has been staying under his roof a member at the last meeting, and from his attitude here I should judge that he would welcome an invitation.

I will see what can be done about the Yale University Library request, but I can not quite see how we can afford to do as they ask, and, as you say, they are hardly likely to have enough archaeological publications to warrant our asking an exchange. Don't you think that no action on my part would be the best report?

I am enclosing a communication on another matter with this letter. You will see that your fellow members on this committee are the President of the National Academy of Design, Mr. Herbert Adams, and Mr. Paul W. Bartlett, the President of the National Sculpture Society. Mr. Bartlett you know, and you and he could get together in Washington and authorize me or Mr. Beatty communicate with Mr. Adams here in New York or do so yourself by mail. The matter of selecting a man for the award narrows down to the consideration of about a half dozen men, [illegible]. These are Fraser, Weinman, Manship, Bromer and possibly Flannagan and Spicer-Simson, Janet Scudder and H. Tait McKenzie although they might be considered hardly in the same class of the others. It must also be borne in mind that the medal is designed by Weinman, and it might be a bit awkward, though not necessarily so, to award him his own medal. This first selection is a difficult one bringing

as it does superiority to all others on the part of the man selected, but the problem may be somewhat simplyfied if it is borne in mind that the others stand a fair show for consideration in future awards.

I am submitting the letters of invitation to the committee today, and all this is based on the presumption that they accept. For this reason the time for you to write me again with any queries that may come to you, in the meantime.

January 20th, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O., Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I am sending you the formal appointment of which I enclosed a carbon in my letter of last week. I would suggest your endeavoring to get into touch with Mr. Bartlett as soon as possible in order that we may know the decision, and have the medal engraved in ample time as well as to forestall any difficulties which may be unapparent at the present time, and which may otherwise delay action too long. Mr. Bartlett's address is Third & Randolph Streets, N. W., Washington, D. C.

You will be interested to know that the Peace Medal competition was a great success. The winner was Mr. Chester Beach. The jury consisted of Mr. Daniel C. French, Miss Cecilia Beaux and Mr. A. A. Weinman. The designs were due here on Wednesday, the award was made Friday and I sent out the announcements of the winner on Saturday.

Miss Hyatt, who submitted a design, receives a consolation prize in the shape of the Joan of Arc medal for Mr. Saltus. She is to come this afternoon to look over the material we have in order to avoid existing designs.

I hope to send you the "slate" of committees by the middle of the week.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

January 20th, 1919.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
11th Street P. O., Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

On behalf of the Saltus Medal Committee I am instructed to transmit their invitation that you act as one of the committee of three to make the award of this medal. The other members asked to serve with you are Mr. Paul W. Bartlett, President of the National Sculpture Society, and Mr. Herbert Adams, President of the National Academy of Design.

This award is made as a recognition "For Signal Achievement in the Field of the Medal". This is the first award of the medal and it thereby carries the added honor of priority. The man who receives it will have just right to being considered the foremost American medallist. A beautiful medal has been designed by Mr. A. A. Weinman. Although the award carries with it no money prize, a provision has been made whereby our Society may purchase a selection of the medals of the man who receives it. Future awards of the medal will be made, presumably after an interval of one year.

Yours very respectfully,

Secretary.

My dear Mr. Noe

Your letter received to-day. Between you and I, I am much "peeved" at the "honor" of being put on the Saltus Award Committee principally because I am down here in Washington away from all things and therefore find it difficult to keep in touch with things - and principally because

my work here at present leaves me almost no time to myself and this time I feel I owe to Mrs Newell who is entirely alone here while I am at the office. I therefore grudge any time not given to government work which in itself is exacting enough. Please in the future do your best to steer such 'honors' elsewhere until I can get back to N.Y. and give my time. I will see Mr. Bartlett as soon as possible. How about the society's note paper I asked for the other day?

Sincerely

Edward L. Newell

Jan.22, 1919:

Dear Mr. Newell:

This morning came your note containing a "blowing up" for me for not having sheered off the "honor" of your appointment for the Saltus Award Committee. And if that made you "peeved", I am sure you will give me a lot of credit for having the courage to indite this epistle. I'm doing it all by myself, too, for Mrs Reilly is have sick, Ted and Reilly haven't got back from Philadelphia yet -(since Tuesday!) - and this morning Tyman received a hurry call to Boston. So I am quite floored.

Now for another honor! Dr. Kunz has just called me up to say confidentially that the Director of the Mint had telephoned asking his opinion of prominence for the Assay Commission. And of course, Dr. Kunz perked right up in meetin' and said you were the feller for the place, with a lot more nice things which I don't dare repeat for fear of consequences to you. Mindful of my recent "blowing up" I tried to transmit same to the dear doctor. I was assured, however, that I must be mistaken and that you would welcome this very great honor, which for the first time gave due recognition to the Society. I should like to hear what you are saying at this point. At any rate, I am doing what Dr. Kunz suggested - communicating the "secret" as fast as may be. I believe the honor involves three days at Philadelphia with all expenses paid.

Yesterday we had a delightful visit from Col. Theodore Reinach and Lieut.(?) Seymour de Ricci of the French Haut Commission. They were very sorry not to find you. We presented them in your name with copies of your reprint (Seleucids), which touched them deeply. M. Reinach was pleased to say that no Numismatic Library should be without it. They were also pleased to state that they knew no more convenient working library for a numismatist anywhere unless it was the Bouvet Library in Paris. They are to be in town a week longer, and will come again if possible.

Very respectfully yours

P.S. Tell for Kunz I will accept — if the meeting is to be held soon !?!!

Jan 23

Dear Noe.

For Heaven's sake what is the Assay Commission and what does it do — or doesn't it do anything but just exist? For the good of the Society I am ready to be martyred. The one thing that makes me at all amenable to this particular honor is what you say about three days in Philadelphia. I would do anything to get three days leave for any place in the world! And "Assay Commission"

sound impressive enough for even my Major to give me the necessary leave! Don't tell me the Commission meets next year after I am out of the army!

I received a very nice telegram from Col. Reinach - it is just possible I may secure a day's leave to see him in New York - but this is uncertain. I certainly would hate to miss him. Will let you know later.

Sincerely

Edward T. Newell

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WAR DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF STAFF
MILITARY INTELLIGENCE DIVISION
WASHINGTON.

My dear Noe.

Probably by this time Mr. Beatty has talked over matters with you. I certainly agree that Mr. Eidlitz is excellent for the Publication of Medals — the only thought that occurred to me before — definitely appointing him was the idea about keeping the committee as congenial as possible. Now Mr. Beatty works in well with every body. Mr. W. is, shall we say, a little "difficult" and I don't know how they [illegible] work in with Mr. E. and Mr. A. also. For the present, until the new appointments in January are made, perhaps the Committee as it stands is sufficient and next year we can perhaps tactfully change —

to consul. Have you seen or contemplate seeing Mr. Waterman and Mr Adams? and what are their ideas about the Peace Medal? How about the Altus Award Medal - did they have anything to do with it?

I am working on a "Peace Note" for the annual meeting and hope to get it into shape soon. It is going to be very short, as by visit time am about all in with my day's work, and believe that it would be an imposition on the poor unfortunate who is delegated to read it at the meeting.

I am delighted to hear that unsolicited members are commencing

to apply – our propaganda work is having effect.
It will soon be time to approach those persons who intimated to us that they would join "after the war".

I saw Capt. Field the other evening at a good-by dinner given to our general. He seemed to be in fine spirits though the hair on top of his head is growing thinner. Naturally he too is looking forward to gracefully extricating himself as soon as possible from the army. He seemed particularly pleased that we had not dropped him from the Council or the Board of Governors and I think we will

the Journal. Have you seen or contemplate seeing Mr. Waterbury and Mr Adams? and what are their ideas about the Peace Medal? How about the Ladies Award Medal - did they have anything to do with it?

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get a good deal of use from him after he returns. I have frequently heard that he drops remarks, here and there where it might bear fruit, of the "wonderful institution, the American Numismatic Society."

With best wishes to all

Sincerely

Edward T. Newell

LEGATION OF THE UNITED STATES

My dear Noe.

To-day I received permission to proceed to New York for 24 hours on Monday Jan 27th to interview Col. Reinsch and also show him my collection as he requested by Telegraph. Will you please have Mr. Rush make my room at the Society presentable - as it is doubt already is. I do not know how much of the day will be devoted to Col. Reinsch - but if

he requires the majority of the day - perhaps in the evening - if you or the others have nothing already planned - we could get together and I could learn a good deal about conditions etc. I doubt if the Col. will have the time to devote the whole day to coins so we can probably get together some time before dark ~~during the day~~. Anyway I will call you up on the phone when I learn from the Col. what he plans to do.

Sincerely Edward T. Newell

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My dear Noe.

Yours of yesterday reached me this evening. Mr. Saltus' enthusiasm and spirit is fine – though the whole matter is somewhat sudden. I have not received any telegram from him and I doubt if he knows my address. The steps you have taken are excellent and I feel the only possible ones in the circumstances. I am glad you had a talk with Miss. Hayatt and that she appears reasonable. If she makes some other designs for the obverse and a possible one for the reverse (instead of a photographic reproduction of the Hudson River and boats) I will certainly gladly move the acceptance of Mr. Saltus' generous offer. The Medal Dept is certainly booming – what next? If this keeps on we may have to limit our output so as not to

where we somewhat restricted market.

Sincerely,

Edward T. Newell

My dear Mr. Noe.

Please excuse this form of note paper, but it is all I can lay my hands on at the present moment.

Enclosed I am sending you a very sketchy report. I have had to leave a number of blanks which you can please fill in for me, such as number of new

members, [illegible], names, etc. If I have
forgotten some important medal (as I
probably have) please make a brief
addition. The whole thing of course
is not meant to be detailed but
only general. I would suggest you
and Wood and Reilly make your
reports also as brief as possible, avoiding

repetition in all but unavoidable cases.
This I am sure you have already
discussed, as it has been so painfully
evident in past years that our
annual meetings were hopelessly
clogged. It is better for the members
to later ask for details - if they
are interested - than running them

down their throats. If you think of any more names I should mention at the end — put them in — or if I have made mistakes please correct them.

Yours in haste,

[illegible]

Edward J. Newell

February 3rd, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O.,
Box 534, Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I am enclosing a letter from the Belgian Legation. Kindly preserve it so that it can be returned to our filed.

I am having a cast made of the Saltus Award Medal. I hope to forward it by the end of the week or earlier. In thinking over our conversation concerning this award it would simplify matters greatly if you and the other two members of the committee could narrow down your selection to two or three men, then if Mr. Adams still desires to see specimens of their work additional to those we have at, it will be much simpler for me to obtain them. The importance of this first award is so great that nothing must be allowed to stand in the way of judging which artist has produced the best medals.

Todd and I attended a lecture by Colonel Reinach at Columbia Friday night. He said afterwards he hoped to come here today.

There was a Council meeting Saturday, but I think the business was chiefly routine. Perhaps Mr. Reilly will write you about it later.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

February 6th, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street N. C., Box 134,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

Under separate cover along with some letters I am sending you a priceslist of the St. Louis Stamp & Coin Company. I note that there are some Greek coins which appear to be better than their usual offering. I was tempted to send for them on approval but feel there is little use in my doing it. You will notice the Segesta and Syria pieces which seem interesting as well as some of the others.

I had a call from Mr. Greene yesterday - he asked for you. Col. Fairbank has not gotten here since you left, and it now looks doubtful that he will.

Very sincerely yours,

February 13th, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O., Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I am sending herewith a letter received from Professor Clark of Miami University describing a collection of coins which has just come into their possession. There seems little that is wonderful save an opportunity for us to be of service to them in further developing possibilities if they are alive to them. Do the Syrian pieces interest you - if so let me know and I will write him asking for casts of them. I am sending a carbon of my reply to Professor Clark.

Last week I saw Mr. Weinman. In the course of our conversation the matter of the award of the Saltus Medal came up. In connection with that as well as with a reference to the Century Club medal exhibition I asked him if he had a frame of medals which he could loan us if we should need them. This brought from him immediately a disclaimer of any feeling that he was to be considered as entitled to the Saltus Award. He stated he thought Flanagan and Fraser were both more entitled to consideration than he. I mention this for your information because, in a word, it does simplify the situation as you outline it when you were here. If you can have Mr. S Adams narrow his range of choice to just three or four artists then we can ask from them the loan of such examples of their work as we may not have here.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

Feb. 17th

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NEW YORK

My dear Mr. Noe.

I did not answer your letter before this as I was expecting to see Mr. Adams in Philadelphia as I learned that he too had been appointed on the Assay Commission. I had a very pleasant wrfab. with him. He still desires greatly to see the work of certain artists before passing judgment. Can you therefore get together as many medals as possible of Fraser, Flanagan, Manship, and Brenner. The last one being not so important as I "gather" that Mr. Adams in his mind has already decided against him. Mr. Adams and Mr. Barthet expect to meet at the Society and look over the pieces — and if by any chance I can secure

my discharge on March 1st I too will look at the pieces just to feel in my mind that I "done my duty". On what date should the final decision be handed in? I tried to hurry up Mr. Adams but he is also 'artistic' and may take time to get around to things. Your conversation with Weinman was interesting though I would be sorry to eliminate him as I like his work – but we may have to, to bring about a unanimous decision of the judges.

I am here with returning for our files:

1st) Correspondence with Major Gallatin concerning Cuban Insignia.

2) Letter from Belgian Minister, Washington.

3) Catalogue of Collection of Greek coins at Miami.

In connection with this last I certainly would very much like

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to secure casts of all the Philips and Alexander coins of Macedon, the Lysimachus of Thrace and the Antiochus II of Syria. I do not know whether Prof. Clark is able to take impressions and if he has the material to do it with. As you seem to have correspondence with him would you mind asking him for impressions if he is unable to take casts. If need be I can send him some of my sealing wax.

Hoping I can get my discharge before the end of the 20th Century and can be present in N.Y. for some of the March meetings.

Sincerely

Edward T. Newell

February 27th, 1919.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I got back only last night after a very pleasant two days in Philadelphia. The occasion of my visit was to find on what basis Bailey, Banks & Biddle Co. might consider handling the marketing of our Peace Medal. The results were informative rather than conclusive - the decision must remain with the Council of course. I had a very pleasant visit with Dr. Comparette - was taken charge of by Mr. Gillingham and installed at the Union League Club over night. Through Dr. Comparette I secured the privilege of seeing Mr. Pennat's collection and gathered notes on his forty odd Metapontine pieces in addition to valuable side lights on his methods of collecting. His collection is magnificent of course. I was much gratified to have him extend an invitation that I come again. Col. Reinach and de Ricci had been there - strange enough de Ricci made a greater impression than the Col. did. Mr. Pennat stated that his eyes were troubling him, that he enjoyed and appreciated the visits of his numismatic friends. I am hoping that it will be possible for you to see him on your way north. We had some interesting talk of a large collection which Spink has just acquired, and I think he said that one of the Chapmans had also gotten hold of some important things, consequently it might be of interest for you to talk with him. I am not sure whether he has gotten anything new since you were last there or not.

I have been hoping that I might find word upon my return that you expected to reach here by March 1st. Ramsay is taking such a prominent place in Washington just now that I understand they are bouncing over the dollar a year men, and we are hoping that you might bounce in here immediatt if not sooner.

I struck a snag regarding the medals to be displayed to Messrs. Bartlett, Adams and yourself, but I may tackle the subject again in a few days and fair better. There is also a snag regarding a joint meeting with the Sculpture Society. You will remember that I invited them to meet with us in March. They countered by saying No, at the next meeting they were to be our hosts. I asked whether they would not waive this privilege in view of the fact that we could hardly confer the medal at a meeting outside our building but I understand there are constitutional

reasons which necessitate their holding both their March and April meetings at 87th Street. Their invitation to us for March 11th has just come, and the whole matter must be laid before the Council next Monday because I do not feel equal to settling it arbitrarily. As an alternative we might plan a meeting between March 11th and April 8th (?) and invite them but in that case we would have to accept their invitation for March 11th, and whether they might not consider so much intimacy dangerous is a debatable question. Furthermore the desirability of such a meeting would hinge on Mr. Bartlett being able to attend, and his successor, as I understand it, is to be elected at the April meeting. It would be pleasant indeed to have him make the award if it goes to the person you mention as having the strongest chance, although we could ask Mr. French to do the awarding if necessary Perhaps you would like to suggest a solution in your leisure moments.

Have you secured Dr. Robinson's signature to a membership card yet or do you consider that necessary? If not, send me a line and I will have his name presented Monday.

I have much more about which I should like to write but I am trying to earn a long chalk mark for my restraint. I hope you are well - write me if you get a chance.

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

March 5th, 1919.

Lieut. Howard T. Newell,
11th Street P. O.,
Box 534,
Washington, D .C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

This morning for a little relaxation I have been amusing myself with trying to identify or trying to describe so that you can identify a score of the pieces which Mr. Taylor left here yesterday, and of which Mr. Ford made mention in his letter last night.

If Mr. Wilson feels it his duty to be away from Washington why can't you? If you do not appear here pretty soon we shall have to try to invent a few new Alexander types, monograms, inscriptions, &c. in an effort to lure you. I might write you a long letter about what the Council did on Monday but fear it might discourage you.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary.

My dear Noe

My request for Duke of Clarence was [illegible] in the ground that I was expecting [illegible] discharge soon. I expect the letter to go [illegible] by the end of next week [illegible] [illegible] of the following week [illegible]

March 11th, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O., Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I beg to enclose herewith two letters addressed to you which arrived this morning. Mr. Wood thinks we can get off today the casts for which you ask, and he is including with them a coin which he borrowed during his trip to Worcester and Boston.

The matter of the Saltus Award Medal at present is in abeyance. The Council directed that a joint meeting be arranged after the April meeting of the Sculpture Society at a date which would be convenient for Mr. Saltus. I wrote yesterday suggesting April 22nd to him.

I think I have told you of the Medal exhibition which the Century Association is planning for the latter part of this month. It is to open on the 18th, and it seems to me that it will afford an opportunity for which Mr. Adams asked - that is, of comparing the work of the men under consideration for the award together. The Council authorized us to participate in whatever way seemed desirable, and we are going to let them have a number of our larger plaques.

We are overjoyed at the prospect of your being with us so soon. If you require any affadavits about being needed in places other than Washington, just let us know how many you require. Miss Hyatt is just finishing the model for her Joan of Arc medal, and Beatty and I think it is going to be a winner. Weinman has finished his, and Dr. Kunz is having it cast.

Hoping you reach us long before April 1st, I am,

Yours very cordially,

Secretary.

March 3rd

My dear Noe

Today my discharge papers commencing their [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] my [illegible] [illegible] with them. In case any [illegible] questions are raised I state that the work which [illegible] me in civil life is:
"Reorganization for immediate work of the Am. Hum. Soc. and the commencement of [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

learned (.?) works undertaken by the society" I also stated this work is supposed to have commenced on or about Jan 1st 1919! So you must prepare the other members of the staff from "immediate reorganization" whether they need it or not! The powers that be here in Washington are lipped on reorganization for a peace basis and it was therefore for their special benefit that the above wonderfully sounding phrase was brought out in the small hours of the night.

[illegible]

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My dear Nol.

Many thanks for your drawings of the coins belonging to Mr. Taylor. I can see there are a number that will interest me. If I do not get to New York before Mr Wood returns I wonder if you will ask him to please make impressions and casts of the ones marked on the paper I am returning you. This in case Mr Taylor and I do not agree on price - and even if I do purchase the collection casts will always be of use to me in any case.

I suppose Mr Taylor can wait a little while longer before hearing from me, though I expect to be in New York before long. The powers above are now deciding whether to grant me my release two weeks from now or whether to give me a few days furlough, and my release on April 1st. Things were going along nicely re my discharge when our Major who was seeing things through for me suddenly

got his discharge and naturally
lit out — leaving me in the lurch!
Therefore in a way I have to
commence all over again per-
suading my new superior that
I am really a fit subject for
release. The whole trouble
lies with the chief of my sub-section
Captain Van Auwinge, who whenever
he is asked if he can't spare me
sets up a howl. We are very friendly
and the big boob has "promoted" me

to be his assistant and 'office boy'
and insists that I am the only one
in the section upon whose work he
can rely!?!? So I am in a
pretty mess. The higher powers are
now anxious to get rid of me as I am
plaguing them to death but whenever
they send down the papers to the Captain
he loses them or signs them 'disapproved'
However I have at last managed to
coax him into a promise of an early
release — but just when I don't know.

Your cryptic remark about the
Council has [illegible] my curiosity.
For Heaven's own what did they do
or what did it they do?

[illegible]

March 17th, 1919.

Lieut. Edward T. Newell,
11th Street P. O., Box 534,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

Professor Taylor, when he was here, told us of a set of Hammer in the possession of an acquaintance of his in Vermont. His discription was inadequate, and I told him to have it sent on and we would advise them as to its value. The package came Saturday. It consists of the first seven volumes only of which volume five, according to the letter which accompanied the set, was struck by a cannon ball in the seige of St. Jean d'Acre. The binding is a Turkish one and rather effective. I find on the entire set of nineteen volumes is quoted in a catalogue of Quaritsch's a number of years ago at £22- 10. I have written to ask the lady whether she would accept an offer of twenty dollars for the set, saying that I thought you might care to offer that much for it, but that our Library would hardly care to acquire an imperfect part of a set which it would be difficult to complete. I do not know how you will feel about this - whether a third of a loaf is better than no bread, or whether you too would take the position of the Library. I should judge that the damaged volume is perhaps the least useful of the seven. As you know, there is a set at the Hispanic Society, which could be used in connection with this part if we decide to keep it. I should be willing to purchase it for the Library if you advise doing so under the circumstances. Please let me have your frank advice.

I enclose a communication which arrived for you this morning.

I also received your note about the re-organization which we are in for. May the good work begin soon! It is sadly needed - from the Secretary up.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary.

April 10, 1919.

Edward T. Newell, Esquire,
1302--18th Street,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell,

I am enclosing a quotation on a set of the new Numismatic Chronicle, which, from the description, seems to be very nicely bound, at a reasonable figure. If you want me to do anything about it, let me know; otherwise, just destroy the sheet.

We received to-day four of the 1916 numbers of the Rivista. I presume you ordered them sent or know of their arrival.

After you left, I telephoned Mr. Adams who said that he would get in touch with Mr. Barlett at the Century Club. Up to the present I have had no word from him, and I shall 'phone him again to-morrow.

We had a visit from Mr. Avery this morning.--Mr. Wood is to go to Hartford next week.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

THE CENTURY ASSOCIATION
7 WEST FORTY-THIRD STREET

April 10, 1919.

President of the
American Numismatic Society,
Broadway & 156th Street,
New York City.

Dear Sir:

The Board of Management of the Century Association asks me to communicate to you the following resolution, unanimously adopted at the last meeting of the Board:

"The Board of Management of the Century Association desires to express their appreciation of the courtesy of the American Numismatic Society in making a valuable loan exhibition of Medallic Art; and to express their thanks for the efficient service rendered by the staff of the Numismatic Museum in the arrangement of the exhibition."

I am, Sir,

Very respectfully yours,

A. H. Rogers

Secretary,
Century Assn.

April 14th

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NEW YORK

My dear Noe.

The enclosed letter was addressed to me but as you will see by its contents really belongs to the other members of the staff of our Society. So I have it in our files.

I am eagerly awaiting word from you as to the outcome of the meeting between Moore, Adams and Bartlett. The evening before leaving New York I had a conversation with Mr. Adams on the phone, and then tried to get in touch with Mr Bartlett but was unsuccessful so he had evidently returned to Washington. When I got back home I tried again to get in touch with him but he had in the meantime left for New York!! So last Wednesday or Thursday I wrote to both Mr Adams and Bartlett suggesting that they get

together and also that they each and severally write me giving me their final choices. Since then I haven't heard a word. Your letter came with the information that you too had suggested that the two get together and I have delayed writing you in the hopes that I would hear something from either you or they. In case the matter of a final decision is brought to your notice it might be well for you to know my own choice after seeing the display at the Century. I feel that my first choice would certainly have been Weinman as I like his things best of all. But if we are to follow his own wishes and consider him out I suppose my second choice - looking at it cold bloodedly - would be Flanagan. Though here I am a little reluctant because probably, of our past experiences with him - but these must be considered in the light of personalities and have nothing

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NEW YORK

to do with his art. As far as that goes he has committed some atrocities – but also he has done some fine things and he is usually original. Personally I like Manship's work very much but I feel that here there may be an appeal to my own personal likings for the 'antique' way he handles things and the beautiful patina he is able to secure. I must admit that Bartlett's criticism is just in that Manship's work is largely a rehash of classic notes – though excellently and tastefully gotten out and put together. On the other hand I can't forgive Manship his 'Kultur' medal – like the rest of us he may feel that way but he shouldn't have put himself on the same bestial level with the Germans in publishing such a medal.

I am intensely interested in Mr. Ahrens second visit to us. I am indeed in bad luck never to be around when he calls! Wood ought to have an interesting visit and if the subject comes up hope he will be able to place our publication needs in a lurid light. It would be so much better for the society to be in a position to handle its own publication [illegible] and therefore choose the format the type etc which best suits numismatic aids. Mr. Huntington's offer is splendid but appears to bind us a little too much to an idea however brilliant but which has not yet been through the fire of actual use in scientific circles. Enough of this. Hoping to hear from you soon

Sincerely

Edward T. Newell

Mr. Sydney P. Noe

c/o American Numismatic Society

156th Street & Broadway

New York, N.Y.

April 15, 1919.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
1302--18th Street,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell,

I telegraphed you to-day as follows:

"Meeting called for 22nd. Adams advises writing you his selection. First Fraser; second Weinman. Special delivery letter follows. Bartlett in Washington."

If there is a more disgruntled person on the face of the globe to-day than yours truly, I wish you would tell me where to look for him.

The cards for the meeting of next Tuesday are out.

I had a talk this morning with Mr. Adams; he told me that he had sent a letter to you, stating his first and second choices for the award of the Saltus medal. At first I told him I didn't want to know who they were, but after talking it over with the others, I called him again and explained that it might save us some trouble if we knew his selection inasmuch as the interval is very short and we hoped that he had picked the same man that Mr. Bartlett had.

I stated that your position was deliberately neutral in the hope that they would agree on one man. He told me that he had entered Fraser as his firstchoice and Weinman as second, and then asked whom Mr. Bartlett had decided upon. When I said "Flanagan", he said that "he could not stand for Flanagan at all", and suggested that the only thing to do was to have a conference of the three members of the Committee if that were possible.

I found, on inquiry, that Mr. Bartlett is in Washington.

He has promised to be present on the evening of the 22nd. Can you not get into touch with him at Washington, and find whether he can come here early on that day in order that you may have a meeting with him and Mr. Adams with the work of the three men under consideration before you?

As a possible solution of the tangle, might I suggest the following procedure:

Could you not, without informing Mr. Bartlett of conditions, get him committed to Fraser as his second choice? Then, could you not announce your selection as Weinman (?) first and Fraser second? That would give Fraser one first and two seconds as against one first only for Flanagan. This, however, is only a suggestion, and its feasibility turns on Mr. Bartlett's second choice.

It seems to us here that there is nothing to do but push the thing through now. Mr. Saltus made a remark on Saturday to the effect that he had waited something like eight years for this award, and while I think that is slightly exaggerated, we have gotten him keyed up to an extent that will not now permit postponement.

If there is ever another award medal proposed, and I can see it coming, I promise to puncture the idea of it if that is humanly possible.

Please construe this as a semi-apology for having involved you in the mess, as well as a solemn pledge to evade future responsibilities of a similar nature if I can do so.

Please write or wire me what you plan to do, as there is the mere detail of securing the attendance of the man to receive the award still to be arranged.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

April 15, 1919.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
1302 -- 18th Street,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell,

I have been thinking over my letter since lunch, and I am afraid thatit is open to an interpretation which I did not intend.

I did not mean to convey that I favored Mr. Fraser over Mr. McNeil so much, as to suggest, if possible, that Mr. Bartlett's second choice might be the key to the situation for you, especially if he should agree to Mr. Fraser for this second place.

I have gotten away passed the point of caring who gets the --- thing; I am ready to be satisfied now if somebody gets it.

We sent out the Joan of Arc circulars Saturday, and seven hundred (700) letters to members of the Century Club yesterday, and these account for my state of mind today.

Very sincerely yours,

Enclosure.

Secretary.

April 19, 1919.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
1302--18th Street,
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Newell,

I enclose a letter from Steckert, and would call your attention to two pamphlets received through the American Hellenic Society, one by George Soteriadis and the other on the Greek Army and the recent Balkan Offensive. I am assuming that you do not wish them sent to Washington. If you do, will you kindly write me to that effect?

With regard to the award medal, I can only say, "mea culpa." I repent in sackcloth and ashes, -- i. e., if you'll accept the dust in the library as a substitute for the ashes.

Mr. Reilly, Wood and I talked over the situation at length after your letter arrived, and we agreed that you must have forgotten that your Committee was appointed by a sub-Committee of Council, consisting of Mr. Fidlitz, Dr. Thompson and Mr. Beatty, so we proceeded to round up this Committee and stated the situation to them.

They all had something of a feeling that it would be a mistake to award the medal to Weinman after he had been given the commission for designing it. They felt, however, that in justice to him, he should in some way be acquainted with the fact that he had been considered by a number of members of the Committee as entitled to the medal. Without being specific, we can, I think, convey to him that he ran Fraser a close second.

Both Dr. Thompson and Mr. Fidlitz felt that between Fraser and Flanagan there was no question of the former's superiority, and Beatty agreed to this after comparing their medals.

Mr. Reilly took the position that Mr. Flanagan's personality, while it should be laid aside in making a decision of this nature, could hardly receive such treatment, and that it was something for which he had to suffer, so it seems to me that Mr. Bartlett is reduced to a majority of one;-- in artistic circles, this, of course, is adequate.

I am calling on Mr. Fraser this afternoon, and acquainting him with the result of the award, and to try to make him realize that it's necessary for him to be present on Tuesday night, and to be prepared to make some response to your presentation speech.

Mr. Reilly tells me, you are to go from here to Philadelphia with him on Wednesday, and we are looking forward to presenting some less important matters for your consideration before you leave.

I am enclosing a prospectus of the Oriental Society's program; Mr. Reilly says that the time set for the first meeting has now been changed to 3 P. M. on Wednesday.

Yours abjectly and exhaustively,

Secretary.

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S P Noe

[illegible] Numismatic Soc 156 St and Bway NY

My presence tuesday night [illegible] [illegible] speaker for presentation

of medal will telegraph [illegible] noon

Newell

263 WEST 125th STREET
4059
6717 MORNINGSIDE.

Apr. 25, 1919.

Dear Mr. Newell:

I tried to catch you before you left the Prince George, but without success. I wanted to say that I received a letter from the owner of the set of Nionnet agreeing at last, to let us have them at twenty dollars. Now the question is, "Do you want them, or would you prefer to have the Library purchase them?" Please let me know at your earliest convenience.

I also received a cordial letter this morning from Capt. Field, to whom I had written giving a lot of chatter about things here, and mentioning Mr. Huntington's Journal subsidy, and suggesting that he express to Mr. H. our appreciation of this latest gift should opportunity offer. Capt. Field stated that he hoped soon to be out of the service, and that he was looking forward to being back. Before you leave Washington, couldn't you clinch the interest thus manifested and lay the foundation for the Board of Governors taking their logical place in the running of things so far as he is concerned, at least? Mr. Reilly and I were speaking of this only recently - of its desirability, that is, and of the impossibility of anything of the sort until you and Capt. Field did return. There are still two months possible for active work before the summer is upon us, and some of our best results have been obtained during this season.

Do you think we could plan for a visit from Dr. Hill of the British Museum next fall? It is something Mr. Huntington would surely like, and once here, we might settle about the Morgan medals. I think Mr. Sulzer might be interested too. I am enclosing a letter which came today. Others go forward with changed addresses. I hope the visit in the city of rest has been pleasant.

Yours ever and truly,

Secretary.

May 1st

THE PLAZA
NEW YORK

My dear Noe

Your recent letter was most interesting – but I am still in the dark as to one point. Have you actually heard that Mr. Hill is coming over – or is this a result – [illegible] [illegible] immunization? In that case I am [illegible]

our Society would be [illegible]
to send him a most cordial
invitation to come, but unless
a return, [illegible] ticket were
also enclosed I am afraid
Mr Hill would hardly [illegible]
way clear. If you really
have other reasons for thinking
that he is actually [illegible]
to come [illegible]

be easier to hear them when I read the Society [illegible] them [illegible] week.

I saw Robert Field yesterday, and had a most pleasant conversation with him. [illegible] he naturally expects to get out soon and [illegible] nothing [illegible] but [illegible] them what he told me of [illegible] the [illegible]

sitting there for some time yet.
I related to him my experience
and suggested that if he really
wants to get out he had better
commence pushing. He expects
to spend a few weeks in New York
before going to Lenox and is
planning to attend our governor's
meeting if he gets released.

Sincerely,

Edward Newell

May 29, 1919.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,

To The American Numismatic Society, Dr.

1 silver and 3 bronze Joan of Arc Medals	$25.00
Binding books (November, 1918).	42.45
	67.45

Paid

June 6, 1911.

Edward T. Newelle, Esq.,
Hotel Gotham,
New York.

For binding of books.....	$ 16.40
One bronze Jesus of Nazareth.....	5.00
	21.40

September 18, 1919.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
Halesite,
Long Island, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I am enclosing a clipping from today's Sun regarding the death of the wife of Dr. Nels. Mr. Tent and I both feel that a formal expression of condolence from you in your own behalf and that of the members of our staff might be advisable. I am also enclosing some sheets of our note paper for this purpose. We feel that it would be better to come in your hand writing rather than typewritten, or I should have formulated a letter and asked your signature to it.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

September 27th, 1919.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
Halesite, Long Island.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

If you are not coming in Monday will you kindly telephone before 9:30 if possible stating which day you do expect to be here and approximately the time. Mr. Merritt desires to talk over with you and the rest of us details concerning the letter requesting the loan of General Pershing's decorations, &c. We saw General Marsh and General Pershing's Aide. There seems little reason to doubt that we can have the decorations for six weeks beginning the first of December.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary.

Nov. 19, 1919.

The Honorable Secretary of State,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:-

For the purpose of completing his studies in the museums of France, Italy and Greece, the President of The American Numismatic Society, Mr. Edward T. Newell, is desirous of obtaining passports for these countries. The publications of our Society are being held up until these necessary researches can be completed, and the Governors of the American Numismatic Society earnestly request that every facility towards the granting of a passport be extended at this time.

On behalf of the Governors of the American Numismatic Society.

NoNov.9,19,1919.

The Honorable Secretary of State,

Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir: -

Our President, Mr. Howard T. Newall, is contemplating going to France, Italy and Greece to continue his studies, and this Society is especially interested in gaining through him various information relating to the subject of numismatics. We are especially desirous that he acquire ancient coins in our behalf. The present affords a rare opportunity because little has come to this country in recent years and the exchange is very favorable.

Curator.

[illegible]

Newell [illegible] on [illegible] Dec 8 1919. 326 63

Vol. v 2,

Newell, Edward Theodore

Memo. for Mr. Newell

As per your instructions, I purchased the Hoernlé collection of coins. This I did on February 7, 1920, and on that date I sent $350 on account.

The coins checked up fairly well with the catalogues. The only missing pieces of any moment were the last three Pathan Emperors, which we are fairly well represented in. The bulk of these missing coins were copper. I communicated this fact to Mrs. Hoernlé, and she took off $25 at my suggestion, making the total sum $800. All of the ancient coins are here.

The condition is not quite up to what I was expecting, but they were sufficiently good to warrant, in my opinion, purchasing them.

They are laid out in the order, for the most part, as catalogued, in Section D, Trays 37-58 in the Vault, the ancient coming first. There are a few ancient duplicates and miscellaneous in Tray 55.

I have made two payments amounting to $600, as per agreement with them, the balance to be paid to Prof. R.F.A. Hoernlé, 2 Shady Hill Square, Cambridge, Mass., unless otherwise directed, some time shortly after your return.

The payments have been made as follows:

$350.00. . . . . .February 7th.
$250.00. . . . . " 17th.

The money used to make these payments were the two cheques of $250 each left with me to pay either Marvin's bill or the Hoernlé account. I have used both of the cheques, as you will see, to pay Hoernle. (Marvin's account has been paid by the Society from the $2,000 Mr. Huntington gave for Volume 53.) The other $100 that I paid Hoernlé was the money sent to you by Mr. Saltus towards an ambulance. The letter concerning this is in the deep drawer of Section A of the Vault where the miscellaneous funds are kept.

The two receipts from Mrs. Hoernle are attached hereto.

Balance of [illegible] paid to Mrs Hoernle, June 1920
Transaction through Petty Cash,

[illegible] (Saltus Ambulance Fund) 100th

2 Shady Hill Sq.,
Cambridge, Mass.
Febr. 13. 1920.

Received from Mr. Howland Wood the sum $350 (Three hundred and fifty) being part payment of the purchase money of $800 for a collection of Oriental coins, made by the late Dr A. F. Rudolf Hoernlé.

Sophie Hoernlé

for Mr Newell

Cost of Vol.52 American Journal of Numismatics, as per bills herewith, underwritten by Mr. Newell $1,543.67

The above amount has been paid for by the Society.

Mr. Newell has paid on account:

July 18, 1919.....	$300.00	
Dec. 12, 1919.....	326.63	626.63

Balance due to the Society from Mr. Newell. $917.04

Memo.

The Society's payments are as follows: To Marvin

July 19.	$300.00
Nov. 29.	500.00
Feb. 19.	743.67
	$1,543.67

Amount owed on Vol. 53, Part II,

by Mr. E. T. Newell.

Part II	Heliotype.....	$105.00
	Composition, etc...	724.33
	110 Reprints.....	33.48
		$862.81

April 1, 1920.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I am enclosing a carbon which partly explains itself. This sale which is being held by Ratto on a date not yet announced. I am sending you our bids in order that you may not bid against us, if you reach Milan before the sale, as well as for the purpose of having you ask Ratto whether it is advisable to raise these bids somewhat for the sake of getting the books. This is especially true of items Nos. 848 - 849, on which I have bid low because I could not tell what was comprised in them. If you have an opportunity to glance at them, and at some of the others of a like nature, please add to them or raise them as you deem best.

In your own interests, I would call your attention to Nos. 238, 257, 405-407, 899, and 231. I should have sent the advance sheets we received with this, if I hadn't thought that you could look at some dealer's copy wherever you may be, if it is impossible for you to get to Milan, or if this reaches you after you have been there.

At last there are some signs of spring. Up to two weeks ago, we had snow in the streets. We have not yet received the books from the Hispanic, but Mr. Huntington has indicated that we can go ahead and sell books of our own that are duplicated there when they do come.

We have Miss Reilly back as stenographer - on half-time, that is, and Mrs. Puch helping to do the filing and such-like. Wood leaves in about three weeks - Mrs. Wood a month later. Not much time for Metapontum these days, and no immediate prospect of any. I shall certainly be glad to see you return. We are eager to hear of your experiences in Greece.

Yours very sincerely,

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April 24th, 1920.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hotel Excelsior,
Rome, Italy.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I am enclosing a carbon of a second letter written to Patte regarding the bids sent him on his forthcoming auction sale of books. You will recall that I sent you a catalogue as well as a carbon of the bids which we had submitted. Lest the first letter may not have reached you, I am enclosing a second list of our bids.

We have been sending a lot of mail to you at the Rome address to which this is sent, and the only word that has come to us during the past six weeks was in your letter to Mrs. Prett from Athens. This, of course, told us how busy you had been, and explained why no word had reached us. There was a communication from the American Express authorities saying there was a package that was being imported, and asking us for a bill of lading or a statement of contents. The discription stated that the consignment consisted of "Bronzes", but beyond this we have as yet had no satisfaction.

We received a cable from Hirsch of Munich at Geneva, Switzerland, asking for your address. The only one we could send was Rome, of course.

Mr. Wood sails Tuesday, the 27th, and will send you word of his arrival as soon as he reaches England. He expects to be at 8 Deiford Place, Russell Square, London, W.C.1.

For the sake of overcoming the risk of this letter missing you I am sending a carbon c/o M. Mahelon at the Bibliotheque Nationale. In that letter I am enclosing two communications, one from Elder about the Miller Sale, and another from J. G. Milne of England. As neither of these seemed urgent I decided to send them in the Paris letter rather than the Rome letter.

I had a delightful visit with Dr. Robinson of Newport two

weeks ago, and took with me your letters which pleased him greatly. We were glad to learn of your good fortune with Alexanders in Greece. Mr. Field who was here yesterday said it looked as though the finds might have been planted. Metapontum is proceeding slowly but steadily I hope. I received the Hague collection impressions only recently, and there will be a number of very interest subjects for discussion when you return to these shores.

Mr. Saltus has sent us a letter - enclosed is a copy. It hardly looks as though the King of Italy would get here now, but that is a bridge we must await before crossing. I send you this information in order that you may be informed should Mr. Saltus express a disappointment which it would be entirely natural for him to feel.

Please let us have word of when we may expect you back as soon as you know definitely. I trust that the good time you reported in Greece may continue the end of the trip, and with cordial regards to Mrs. Newell, I am, as ever,

Yours very sincerely,

April 30th, 1920.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
c/o M. Ernest Babelon,
Conservateur, Bibliothe Nationale,
Cabinet des Medailles,
Paris, France.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

A post card from Athens dated April 8th and another to Mr. Beatty in our care gave us the only word we have received from you in more than a month. I mention this only that you may be informed in case you sent other communications.

A package of "bronzes" sent in our care by you from Rome is being held by the American Express here pending the arrival of a bill of lading or invoice. They state that the Customs Officials will not make an examination of contents until they have either a bill of lading or invoice in hand, irrespective of the fact that the material may be entitled to free entry. In consequence I asked Mr. West to request such a document from you in case he gets into touch with you sooner than we do.

Mr. Huntington nearly took the breath of the Governors away at their last meeting by adding three thousand dollars to his previous gift for publications. This helps a lot. Mr. Field is very enthusiastic and our literature factory is likely to be in operation at full blast by the time you return.

Elder is holding a sale today and tomorrow which includes a number of Greek coins. I have secured casts of those which may be of interest to you. Mr. Miller's sale promises to be a very important one. It includes a very considerable series of Roman Imperial issues. It is to be in two parts, and I think the first is to occur about June 1st. If your letter from Rome, of which your post card speaks, is an indication of the probable date of your return and that proves later than the sale, I may try to secure advance sheets for you.

Dr. Yoanna was here Wednesday. He has just purchased a Syracusean decadrachm of good quality.

I am enclosing a card of the meeting for next Thursday. Weinman is to receive the medal, and the third of the subjects will be a des-

cription by Weil of the process involved with the medal to be awarded from beginning to end, as this was first cast and is now struck, it fairly covers the field.

With cordial greetings to Mrs. Newell, I beg that you will believe me

Very respectfully yours,

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THE FASTEST TELEGRAPH [illegible] WORLD

June 8th, 1920

Memorandum - Mr. Newell

We have recently received some 40¢ silver educational medals of the Argentine Republic, given us by John W. Garrett and a similar gift was made to us by Dr. Naon some years ago. Dr. Naon being at that time Argentine Minister to the United States. As a result of these two gifts, I find we now have 25 duplicates. These pieces are large silver medals no less than two inches in diameter, and it seems to be desirable to dispose of the duplicates before the price of silver drops any further. None of the medals would have a ready sale as medals and the duplicates would have to be disposed of as bullion. I do not feel at liberty to do this in connection with two such gifts without authority from the Council.

Memorandum - Mr. Newell.

June 29th, 1920

Mr. Clyde Pharr left the case of coins, bronzes and terra-cottas for examination by you. You are to feel free to make an offer for the whole or any part. Mr. Pharr is at New Haven and may be addressed care of Yale College. He is going abroad for study in about a month(?). Mr. Raymond is to have the privilege of examining the coins while they are here. Most of the pieces were purchased from peasants in Arcadia who claimed to have found them in their districts.

There will be no objection to proper cleaning of the pieces, if that is desirable. In the event of your declining to purchase any of the pieces, if Mr. Pharr is unable to call for them, please have Mr. Buck pack the case so that the terra-cottas will not be endangered while in transit.

Secretary

jcm/a

Copies of Sinope and Tarsos articles sent to each of the following, July 15, 1920.

A. O. van Kerkwijk
Koninklijk Kabinett van Munten
Hague
Netherlands

M. Victor Tourneur.
Societe Royale Numismatic,
Cabinet des Medailles,
Brussels.
Belgium.

Dr. Philip Lederer
4 Kupfergraben
Berlin Germany.

Dr. Rudolf Münsterberg
Münzkabinett
Opernring
Vienna Austria.

Dr. George Macdonald
17 Learmonth Terrace, Edinburgh. Scotland

G. F. Hill Esq.
British Museum. London England

Dr. Kurt Regling
Kaiser Friedrichs Museum
Berlin Germany

Dr. Behrendt Pick.
Berlin Germany

Dr. David M. Robinson
106 Ridgewood Road
Baltimore Md.

F. Munroe Endicott Esq.
35 Beacon St.
Boston.

July 20th, 1920.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite,
Long Island.

My dear Mr. Newell:-

As I told you yesterday, Mrs. Brett has returned her manuscript with additions and corrections. Could you get an opportunity during the coming week to look it over and do such editing as occurs to you along the lines we discussed.

I had intended to ask you to do this when you were here, and to let you take the manuscript with you, but it slipped my mind. I believe that if we smooth it out a little bit, it will not be necessary to return it to Mrs. Brett until final copy is made.

Very truly yours,

Assistant to Curator.

American Numismatic Society
September 3rd, 1920

Dear Mr. Newell:

You will recall my having spoken to you about the lumber for the temporary coal bin on the first floor in the year - that it was stored in the 1st cast floor, and stolen, making it necessary for us to ask Mr. Eidlitz for a second lot of lumber. He has sent this to us without any charge although I asked him to let us bear the expense. I do think that he would not like a formal note of thanks from the Society, and if you would express your personal appreciation of his action, I think it would be very fitting. I have already thanked him by letter.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary

Howard T. Newell, Esq.

September 4th, 1930

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
Halesite, L.I.

My dear Mr. Newell:

I received this morning a letter from Mrs. Brett, in which she indicates willingness to follow suggestions in regard to clarifying some portions of her article on Gold Medallions.

If you could suggest any points which you remember as needing additional emphasis or clarity, I wish you would let me know so that I could tell Mrs. Brett. I know that you have not a copy of the manuscript with you, but you may be able to remember some of the things which needed improvement. When you come into the city again, perhaps you will have a chance to look through the copy of the manuscript which we have here, and I can then write to Mrs. Brett.

Very truly yours,

Assistant to Curator

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Mr. Newell requested reprints of Sinope and Tarsus to be sent to the following six:-

Sent September 10th, 1920.

Prof. L. B. Stenersen
Universitets Mynt Kabinet
Christiania
Norway

M. Jean Babelon
Cabinet des Médailles
Bibliothèque Nationale
Paris
France

Mr. G. Empedocles
34 Academy St.
Athens Greece

Mr. P. Hauberg.
Den Kongl. Mont-og Medaille-Samling
Prinsens Palais
Kopenhagen.
Denmark

Mr Robert Jameson
9 Avenue Velasquez
Paris France

Dr. N. A. Petsalis
9 Rue des Philhellènes
Athens Greece

November 4th, 1920

Memorandum for Mr. Newell

Referring to the plan proposed by Mr. Huntington for this Society's collecting and filing photographs of all the bas-reliefs made by American sculptors, I am submitting this memorandum that you may have the benefit of suggestions made to me in talking informally about the plan with several sculptors.

Reaction to the plan, from almost every side, has been favorable and enthusiastic. It was felt that someone should present the scheme at a meeting of the National Sculpture Society, and secure their co-operation. A circular should then be prepared outlining the details. It was felt that there would be greater likelihood of success if such a circular should state that the expense of the prints up to a maximum figure would be borne by the Society. The tax upon the artist's time could be further minimized by enclosing for his signature an order upon his photographer for such prints as we desire, to be paid for at the rate charged him.

Requests for collections of prints are frequently received by artists, and although the amount involved in any one case might be inconsiderable, in the aggregate it becomes a burden which might militate against otherwise favorable action on the part of the artist addressed.

It is possible that all of the artists might not accept this offer, but in any event Twenty Dollars is likely to be ample, and in most cases but a small fraction of this sum should be necessary.

Part of the plan to be outlined must be concerned with some scheme for mounting the photographs uniformly and filing them on the Loose-leaf Ledger plan. Each artist's work would be kept separately where there was enough material. Some arrangement could be made whereby the set would be kept up to date - presumably, by placing a standing order with the artist's photographer with his consent.

If it is the opinion of the Governors that this work is chargeable against the fund for the publication of Semiannual Notes and Monographs as the simplest way of handling the proposition, the setting aside of the Twenty-five Hundred Dollars ($2,500) income for the second half of the present year for the purposes outlined above is suggested.

Secretary

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November 4th, 1920

Memorandum for Mr. Newell

In response to my formal request of Mr. Eidlitz as to the possibility of flooring in the room adjoining your office without conflicting with the regulations of the building code, Mr. Eidlitz this morning informs me as follows -

Because the building is fire-proof, he feels that a flooring of wood being not fire-proof would probably be disapproved on that ground, were the building subjected to an inspection at any time. He thinks that it could be done by a local carpenter without its ever being known or noticed, although if the means are available for having it floored in keeping with the fire-proof nature of the rest of the building, that would be more desirable.

This latter contingency would, of course, necessitate a permanency in the change decided upon which is not involved in the case of the flooring of wood.

Secretary

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American Numismatic Society
New York City

Jan. 1[illegible], 1921

Howard L. Newell, Esq.
American Numismatic Society
New York City

Dear Sir:

A meeting of the Governors of the American Numismatic Society has been called by President Newell for 10 a.m. on Tuesday, January 1[illegible]th, at the Society's collision.

Very respectfully yours,

Secretary

[illegible]

May 6th, 1921.

Newell File

Mr. Newell still owes The American Numismatic Society on

Volume 52	$817.04
" 53	913.61
Hoernle Collection . .	100.00
	$1,830.65
	79.00

The Hoernle Collection has been paid for, but the $100. mentioned in this connection is the check sent by Mr. Saltus to start an Ambulance Fund during the war.

January 3rd, 1922.

Before Mr. Newell left for Europe he turned over to Mr. Wood certain duplicate coins, which he told Mr. Wood to sell for him, and credit the money coming in in this way to the above Journal deficit. The following are to be credited:-

Jan. 4.	A. de Yoanna - - -	$8.00
" 17.	Norvin R. Lindheim - -	4.00
Apr. 12.	Wayte Raymond - - -	58.00
" 5.	S. R. Milbank - - -	9.00

November 22nd, 1922.

Mr. Newell gave us his check for 151.65, therefore the amount still due the Society at this date is $1,600.00.

Total amount as above	$1,830.65		
Duplicate coins	$79.00		
Mr. N's check	151.65	230.65	$1,600.00

Memorandum copy of Mr. Newell's portion of
W. C. Lewis's bill of Feb. 28th.

1	Numismatique de l'Ancienne Afrique	2.50
9	Revue Numismatique	22.50
3	Journal Internat. d'Archeol. Num.	7.50
1	Marsden Numismata Orientalia	5.50
9	Numismatique Chronicle	11.25
1	Kingdom of Bosphorus	1.50
1	Horsemen of Tarentum	1.25
1	Coll. H. C. Hoskier	1.25
4	Auction Catalogues	5.00
1	Auktion von Munzen	1.25
1	Recherches sur Monnaies des Indig.	1.50
1	Greek Coins - W. Wroth	1.25
2	Versteigerung Griechische Munzen	3.00
1	Das Munz- Mass und Gewichtswesen	1.25
5	Descr. Generale des Monnaies	6.25
		72.75.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,

Seltman	$3.89 ✓	
Feuardent	14.44 ✓	
Spink	4.75 ✓	
Ratto	67.10 ✓	
Henry Chapman	12.50	not yet sent.
Gamber (Books)	15.75	?
Hirsch (Coins)	100.00	Send.
Book	2.50	$220.93

Ck received from Mr Newell March 7, 1921. — $220.90.

Credited Library Account 18.25
Sundries " 202.68

September 12th, 1921.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
Halesite,
Long Island.

Dear Mr. Newell:-

I am enclosing two letters which might be important.

Noorian telephoned today to say that he had some coins he wanted you to see. I told him you might be in Friday, and would possibly telephone him then.

I stopped at the Museum and wish you could have seen the show too. If you can spare an hour or even less Friday it would be well to see the exhibition. I should not be surprised if the time were extended but I am not aware of any announcement to this effect as yet.

I find that we did not keep a carbon of the list of new applicants for membership submitted at the meeting of the Council. Will you put this in an envelope and send it along as we are without any record of these names except that of Mr. Segur which you gave me this morning.

Very truly yours,

November 2nd, 1921

This letter is being presented by Mr. Edward T. Newell, President of the American Numismatic Society, who is in your city for the purpose of studying the coinage of ancient Greece, especially that of Alexander the Great and his successors. May we bespeak for him any courtesies that may be within your power, particularly with regard to anything which will facilitate his gaining access to public or private collections of which you may know.

Secretary

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MY MOST CORDIAL GREETINGS TO ALL MEMBERS PRESENT AND WISHES AT

MEETING WITH YOU

EDWARD NEWELL

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November 17th, 1921

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
Carlton Hotel
London, England

Dear Mr. Newell:

Dr. de Yoanna was in here on Saturday with the gold piece of Barciana which he had previously shown me. Mr. Raymond was also here and a discussion of its genuineness was waged again. I suggested that if he were still unsatisfied with the opinions which you and Mr. Raymond had expressed that it could be sent to the British Museum, and he asked if I would send it to you and request you to obtain Hattingley's opinion of it. I hope you will not consider this too much trouble.

Mr. Raymond told me that you had informed him of the duplicates which you had left with me, and asked to see them. I supposed that he had seen all these in the leather case but he told me that this was not so. He took 40% to 50% of what you had. I explained when he mentioned the matter that these were not to be treated on the basis of the other duplicates which he had obtained from you, so he said that he would keep them separate and remit to us as soon as they were sold. I am not quite sure if this is exactly what you intended, but as you will see I was not in a position to do differently.

Mr. Gillette, of Rochester, has asked for a list of duplicates, expressing his appreciation to Ryman, and I am planning to send him a list of what remains.

If you receive this before you go to Cambridge, Heffer has offered to us a set of Roscher's Lexicon, three volumes bound and the rest sewed for £6. I would be glad to have you advise what you think of the offer. If you believe it should be taken up, ask them to inform me the cost of having the remainder of the set bound to match the first three volumes.

The stage is all set for the doings on Saturday, but if any more Kings, Queens or Generals intimate to you that they contemplate visiting these 'ere parts, I hope you will slay them on the spot in order to prevent me from sinking the ships in which they cross.

Very truly yours,

November 29th, 1921

Dear Mr. Newell:

Mr. Porrer has just sent me the plates and text proof of the Metapontum section of the Weber coins. I note that No.745, for which he asks 33/- is one of the diobols with the man-headed bull. You said you wanted one of these if they ever turned up; but, unless you advise to the contrary, if you do not want it for yourself, I think I will order it for the Society. If this reaches you in time, let me know what you think about the matter.

Perhaps you would care to look over the other unsold pieces. No.738 is not common; that is also 33/-.

Secretary

December 6th, 1921

Dear Mr. Newell:

Mr. Reilly received your first letter yesterday, and I, a note from Mrs. Newell. We were glad to learn that you were having such a pleasant time in London, and that Mr. Lewis is coming. Mr. Reilly turned your letter over to Wood and to me to read, and we may have seen mistakes in what we read between the lines but strangely enough we each had the same impression. He did not go West after the Foch presentation; he did, however, retire to Philadelphia.

I shall leave the account of the Foch business to Mr. Reilly to describe. Things went very well so far as we were concerned. Mr. Saltus was mightily pleased.

We got Mr. Reilly bolstered up to the point of going down to call on Mr. Saltus and to see whether he could obtain something toward our deficit. He came back with $500, and we are going to try to prevent him from resting on his laurels.

Yesterday I had a delightful visit from Mr. Seager. His address is C/o Baring Bros. & Co., 8 Bishopsgate, E.C. He is sailing for Crete today. We had an enjoyable time together looking over the Morgan coins and your Metapontum pieces. He said that he had given you a letter to Colonel Samuels(?) but that he was not expected to arrive in England until about November 20th. If you did not connect with him, he suggested that you let him (Mr. Seager) know, so he might if possible arrange a meeting with you on your return journey. Mr. Seager said that there were a number of duplicates, especially of the bronze pieces, which they hoped you would want. He, also, mentioned that he had swapped coins with Sir Arthur Evans during the summer, so there is another indication of his inclinations. He was much pleased with our card catalogue and thought he would be able to make use o it when he got back.

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Noel is having the Oriental Club meet here at the Museum tonight. During the day he is enjoying jury duty.

I have word of the arrival of the coins from Havel. I shall write him that you will expect to see his before you see the coins; but try to have him show you a copy of his letter to me if he sent one. He speaks of having a gold stater of Seleucus I of the type of Alexander gold staters, with a [illegible] on one side of the [illegible]. You might tell him I wrote you about it. I am sending some of the [illegible] he asks, so you can convey this information to him.

I had a note from Vlasto saying he was sending you [illegible] to the [illegible] antiquities, and was looking forward to seeing you.

The enclosed two letters addressed to you are personal.

With my best Christmas greetings to you and Mrs. Newell, I am

Sincerely yours,

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
Guaranty Trust Company of N.Y.
1 - 3 Rue les Italiens
Paris, France

December 7th, 1921

Dear Mr. Newell:

This morning's mail brought three additional letters which Mr. Wood wanted to have forwarded to you; and because there is a mail but tomorrow, I am sending this supplementary epistle. The same mail made us very happy by bringing letters from you to Wood and to me.

It is mighty good of you to have taken so much trouble with the Metapontum things at the B.M.

I hope your next letter will tell us about your evening with Robinson, and something of his progress on the Coinage of Velia.

I have just sent the Athens pieces to Seltzer, and mention this because I feel sure he will ask you about them.

I am sorry that Baldwin is not amenable to reason when it comes to applying it to Philip and Alexander sisters. Perhaps you will have dared better at Spinks, though I doubt it.

The thought of your going to Cambridge sets me squirming with envy. I know that you will have difficulty getting along on twenty-four hours a day there.

We are looking forward to the arrival of Mr. Levis, and we shall see what can be done to give him an interesting time. I am mighty glad that you did see his collection, because my account was entirely inadequate through lack of knowledge of his field.

The card from Kenneth Cagiati either proposes an exchange of publications or accepts such a proposal. In any event "we'll do this" and you can communicate with him accordingly. Likewise the letter from Dunsterberg makes a similar proposal, and I am sending him the lacking numbers of the monographs and shall ask whether he has received the later issues of the Journal before forwarding them. I am sure that this will meet with your approval. I shall not say anything to him regarding his proposal

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to exchange the publication he lists on his third page. You will please decide as to that.

Referring again to your letter, we have the catalogue of the Bonni-Gros collection. I wish we had a member who is interested in Renaissance medals. I should like to inquire someone with a third pocket book, but alas, alas!

Dr. Willingham's article is progressing steadily. I have written [illegible] if he knows any authority on the Papal medals. If you have an opportunity to make enquiries in Italy, it might be well to do so. Stephano Johnson as Milan might know of some writer. I should not know where else to look for aid.

[illegible] the length of this letter. Then we get to thinking of you in foreign parts, our thoughts spin on.

Very sincerely yours,

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
C/o Guaranty Trust Co. of N.Y.
1 - 3 Rue les Italiens
Paris, France

The Phi Chi Chapter of Beta Theta Pi
will hold its Fall Initiation and Banquet
Tuesday, December 13, at 7 p. m.
You are cordially invited to attend

E. T. Newell Esq.
Guaranty Trust Co of N.Y.
123 Rue des Italiens

Paris

A charge of $3.00 per person will be made for

The Initiation Banquet

Please reply to
D. H. Vigelow
1071 Yale Station, New Haven, Conn.

Personal

February 6, 1911

Mr. Charles Gordon Clark
Chicago, Ill.

Dear Sir:

Your card card addressed to Mr. Edward T. Newell received.

Mr. Newell is at this time in Europe, but I take pleasure in enclosing a list of reputable coal dealers which I trust may be of use to you.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

W/S
Enc.

February 14th, 1922

Andrew B. Humphrey, Esq.
The Sulgrave Institution
233 Broadway, New York

Dear Sir:

The invitation of the Vicar of St. Paul's Chapel and the Sulgrave Institution addressed to Mr. Edward T. Newell is received. Mr. Newell is at present in Europe and will, therefore, be unable to accept.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

SPN/E

February 17th, 1922

Dear Mr. Newell:

Your letter of January [illegible] written on the Adriatic and mailed from Athens reached me on the 16th, on a morning when I was feeling blue - the patient revived immediately, so please repeat that prescription ad libitum.

I appreciate very much indeed your kindness in getting for me the information regarding Metapontum pieces at Naples, when you were so rushed.

By this time you will have received Prince Bolo's information saying that the entire gallery was at your disposal; but as he has told you this in person, it will not be news.

I will take up the matter of [illegible] for Corresponding Member. The January-February number of his article has just come and seems to contain much worth while matter.

Congratulations on your scheme for making Beatty's mouth water. Do it again!

I do not know whether you have heard from Whitehead since you left England, but in a letter to Good - as Mr. Good may have written you - he intimated that he thought he would accept your offer with some slight modifications. Inasmuch as you promised that this would necessitate your eating snowballs and because you are in a climate which might make that agreeable as a pastime when this reaches you, I [illegible] it.

I note what you say about looking forward to my next letter as well as your having mentioned that you seem to have missed one. Never mind. Like the acts of Wagnerian opera, there is always at least one more to which to look forward.

By the way, Mr. Veltman has asked for your Paris address, and - as I think I told you in a former letter - Hirsch requested that we cable it to him, so that you may yet have to swim back!

There is a sale to be held here next week at which I wish you could be present.

We have heard from [illegible] Babelon of his receipt of the Wellington Medal, and of his pleasure in the award.

Vlasto wrote that he would be in Athens for a week and I presume that you may have seen him there. Also, we have heard from Dr. Hedling saying that he was hoping to send back the Greek coin hoard material in February.

I had an interesting afternoon with Dr. Dan Fellows Platt at Englewood early in the week and he spoke of you. When you get back it probably would be a good plan to have him see some of your coins as well as those of the Society.

We recently received two beautiful bronze coins from Dr. Levis, which came from the Geber Collection and which make a very notable addition to our Cabinet.

I can think of no more [illegible] at the present time. Perhaps I may add a line or two [illegible].

Yours as ever,

SPM/E

Edward T. Newell, Esq.

The Vicar of St. Paul's Chapel and the Sulgrave Institution cordially invite you to participate in a tribute to the memory of

George Washington

in St. Paul's Chapel, Broadway and Fulton Street, New York, at high noon on Wednesday, February 22, 1922.

The services will be in charge of Vicar Joseph P. McComas, and the sermon will be delivered by the Right Reverend Frederick Burgess, Bishop of Long Island.

Luncheon will be served in St. Paul's House after the service. Please note special features on following page.

R. S. V. P.
ANDREW B. HUMPHREY, SECRETARY
THE SULGRAVE INSTITUTION
233 BROADWAY, NEW YORK

SPECIAL SERVICE IN ST. PAUL'S CHAPEL ON WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY

In commemoration of the fact that George Washington was a worshipper at St. Paul's Chapel, Broadway and Fulton Street, New York, where his original pew is still preserved, the Sulgrave Institution, through the courtesy of the officials of St. Paul's, some years ago established the annual custom of celebrating Washington's birthday in the old Chapel.

In accord with this custom, the Vicar of St. Paul's and the Sulgrave Institution cordially invite you to participate in this tribute to Washington in St. Paul's Chapel at high noon on Wednesday, February 22nd, 1922, Vicar Joseph P. McComas presiding.

The sermon will be delivered by the Right Reverend Frederick Burgess, Bishop of Long Island.

There will be a special musical service rendered by the entire choir.

Mr. John A. Stewart, Chairman of the Sulgrave Institution, is returning from Sulgrave Manor and will bring a wreath direct from the Sulgrave (Washington) Manor House, in England, which will be placed in Washington's pew on this occasion.

There are especial reasons this year why these services should attract unusual attention. Last year the Sulgrave Institution presented four busts and statues of Washington to Great Britain, one of which was placed in St. Paul's Cathedral, London, with great ceremony, and was welcomed throughout the British Empire. In addition, two Lincoln statues previously presented to England were gratefully received.

In response to these gifts from the American Sulgrave Institution, the British Sulgrave will present, through Sir Charles Wakefield, a statue of Edmund Burke to be placed in Washington and one of William Pitt to be placed in Pittsburgh. These will be dedicated with due ceremony next Summer. The British branch of Sulgrave is also presenting to the American people a statue of Lord Bryce which will be placed in Washington with appropriate ceremony.

In addition to this, the close of the Washington Conference has cemented, we believe for all time, the unity of English-speaking peoples throughout the world and has demonstrated the vital force of the English-speaking peoples in the forward movement for ultimate world peace.

The month of February, with the closing of the Washington Conference, the opening of the Hague Arbitration Court, the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington, suggests a fitting opportunity for making February 22nd a day of rejoicing and thanksgiving.

Under these very propitious conditions, the Sulgrave Institution especially requests your presence on this occasion.

According to custom, luncheon will be served in the St. Paul's House at the end of the services, where brief addresses will be made by prominent visitors and Chairman Stewart of the Sulgrave Institution will report upon the valuable properties recently presented to Sulgrave in England.

The cost of the luncheon will be $1.25 per plate.

PLEASE MAKE RESERVATIONS BY RETURN MAIL.

JOHN A. STEWART, *Chairman,* ALTON B. PARKER, *Chancellor,*

ANDREW B. HUMPHREY, *Secretary.*

THE HOBBY CLUB.

15 Broad Street
New York City,
March 1,1922.

Dear Sir:-

Kindly let me know if you expect to attend the dinner and annual election of The Hobby Club, to be held at The Links Club, No. 38 East 62nd Street, on Tuesday evening March 7,1922, at eight o'clock. If so, please send your check to the order of the treasurer for $6.00.

Very truly yours,

Secretary, The Hobby Club.

Mr. Edward T. Newell

[illegible]

[illegible] Club.
15 Broad Street
New York City

[illegible]

In reply [illegible] of March 1st [illegible] Dr. [illegible], I [illegible] to advise that Dr. [illegible] is in [illegible] and therefore will be [illegible] to [illegible] of the [illegible] of attending the [illegible] and [illegible] to be held on [illegible], [illegible] the [illegible] Club.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E

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United States Coin Co., 200 Fifth Avenue, New York.

March 24th, 1922

Dear Mr. Newell:

Your letter from Paris came last Monday, and you must have had an interesting time looking at their coins one by one. Die comparisons under such circumstances would be complicated it seems to me. However, that you saw the coins at all, is occasion for surprise. Did you see the second collection at the Museum?

I suppose by now you are back from Berlin and Munich. Your letter was not quite clear, but I gathered that you would return Mrs. Newell in Northern Italy somewhere, and then go together to Paris and England. I am wondering whether you will see Dr. Hirsch on the way.

We have just received back from Dr. Regling the data on the Greek coin hoards. He has taken an exceptional amount of trouble in checking them up and adding records of the hoards not included by us, and facts regarding finds such as those in the Constantinople Museum which he examined when he went over that collection. This task looks larger every time I think about it, but it also seems increasingly worth while. From the information we now have, we shall be in a position to do something of value for working numismatists.

I told Dr. de Ycanna that you were not going to be able to return to Rome; he, like the rest of us, is looking forward to your return. So is Dr. Robinson, who has had a three weeks' attack of grippe with a gathering in his ear to lend interest to his singing in bed. He wrote me about a week ago that he would send you a line.

If you see Mr. Whitehead, please punch him up about returning his manuscript. Mr. Gillingham's article is being mailed now, and the proceedings have been expressed

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to us and should reach us today.

Have you seen Cagiati's enthusiastic account of your visit to Naples? If not, you have something ahead of you.

With cordial regards,

Very sincerely yours,

Edward T. Newell, Esq.

SEN/E

March 31st, 1922

Dear Mr. Newell:

I am enclosing a copy of a letter which arrived yesterday, in the hope that it may reach you before you leave European shores so that you can communicate with Cav. de Siccio in case you want to avail yourself of his offer of the diagrams of Agrigentum. I am writing him that I am forwarding his letter to you, explaining that I am not certain that it will reach you in time for you to reply before you sail, but that you will respond on your return if his letter does not reach you.

We had a note from Whitehead who told us that he had seen you in Berlin, and that your trip seemed to have agreed with you. I am very glad of this.

Almost everyone in America has had something the matter with him or her during the past winter, so if you have escaped abroad you have something for which to be thankful.

I received a letter from Deaper, saying that Sir Arthur Evans was to sell his Roman gold coins and some of his Greek coins through Hirsch. I presume you will have seen them if you stopped at Geneva.

We have word that your copy of the B.M.C. "Arabia" is being held at the Post Office. They are trying to charge you duty on it, and I am trying to prevent them collecting it.

We have received a second package from Spink for you.

As soon as you are able to let us know your date of sailing, please send us word. I hope when you come back you will bring a large stock of inspiration and enthusiasm with you because we all need it.

Very sincerely yours,

Edward T. Newell, Esq.

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Enc.

Put in Newell

File

November 2nd, 1921.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
The American Numismatic Society,
New York.

#6 Metapontum Coin purchased from Spink & Son - - - $31.44

Received payment,

Pd July 18, 1922
Treasurer.

Transit Account

February 8th, 1922.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,

New York.

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July 17, 1922

Treasurer.

Transit 6.00

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August 1920.

Mr. Newell's Account

3 Box Files ordered from Broun-Green Company	$ 4.50
Prints from the Irving Studio	1.00
Print " " " " Sept. 1 Bank Letter . .	.50
3 Box Files ordered from Broun-Green Co.	3.75

Pd July 18, 1922

Aug. 18, 1922.

Dear Dr. Newell:-

We have been a little disappointed not to see you this week. By me, I mean Dr. Wood and I. The former arrived on Tuesday, looking very well. He wants to see you.

I presume you saw the enclosed notice in the papers. Well, we are to come in on it. Dr. Huntington telephoned to ask for you last Monday morning, and I gave him the word you left me - that you might be in Monday, but that if you did not come then, you would probably be in on Thursday. So when you did not come today, I telephoned him explaining, and asked him if he wanted me to write you that he wanted to see you, explaining why. He said he would like to have that done.

He did come in here last Monday afternoon - to escape what he called a visitation of eleven thousand virgins from Columbia's summer school. He explained some of the details of the plan, saying the announcement was premature - that he had not intended having it made just yet. He asked when I was selling. He said that there would be a great deal of work in connection with the exhibition, but that it could be so arranged that the artists would take care of it, rather than have it fall on Dr. Wood. To this I responded that this was a matter to be talked over between yourself and him. There are a number of details of which I can tell you when you come.

I am to go down to see Dear. Perry tomorrow morning, and I shall probably get my Summer ticket the first of next week. There are several packets of coins (?), apparently from Spink, for you, and a number of foreign letters. Also a letter from Hopkins to me, enclosing a commander for making casts for you - amount twelve dollars! There are number of other fairly important matters, but they must await your coming.

Yours very sincerely,

October 24th, 1923.

Dear Mr. Newell:

Your letter of October 12th reached me a few days ago, and I am glad you had such a good time with Colonel de la Fuye. I will hold up the manuscript as you request.

A very good meeting of the Council was reported last Friday, good, that is, from the point of view of attendance. One matter of record that will interest you was their writing off your obligation to the Journal Fund. As I understand it, this is not merely the deficit, concerning which there was question earlier in the year, but the remainder which you have from time to time stated that you expected ultimately to re-imburse. As you know, there are a number of us who have always felt that this should be done. You will possibly hear from our Treasurer regarding the matter, but I am sending this for your consolation and information in the meantime.

Yesterday morning I had a delightful visit from Mr. Seager who brought the article about his Cretan Board. He is planning to leave here about the fifteenth of November, touching at Candia on his way to Europe. Heaven alone knows where this letter will reach you but I am reporting this information for your guidance.

I note what you saying about sending packages of coins from London, and I am quite thrilled at the prospect of their arrival.

You will doubtless be glad to know that Miss Earle has been released from the hospital without an operation. We are hoping to have her back with us early next week.

We have just received word that the bequest of Dr. Mies has been shipped to us. The list of the books comprised is rather disappointing. I hoped there would be many more.

I quite envy you the exciting time your will have in London, and I should think you would be exhausted by the time you get through with it. However, here's hoping that you will have good hunting, and that your return will not be delayed through the postponement of your start to Jerusalem.

Yours ever and truly,

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
Paris, France.

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET
NEW YORK

Dear Work.

On Wednesday will you also kindly bid for me on the Alexander gold stater no. 1051. Chase it up to $48 if you have to. It happens to be a rare variety, but you ought to be able to secure it for less.

Sincerely,

[illegible] Newell

October 18th, 1923.

Dear Mr. Newell:

Your letter of the 4th was delivered before that of the 2nd, and in consequence I was somewhat mystified at first.

I am mighty glad that you have had such an interesting time, and I presume that by this time you will have received the word regarding Ritsos and Pappavangelou. In case that letter has failed to reach you, I will repeat what has transpired - that P. offered to come to Paris with the coins which are at Manchester if I would cable. To this I responded that you were to be there for so short a time it would be better to wait until February. I am sorry that I gummed the works in this fashion, but, of course, I could not forsee that you would change your plan. If you have time to go to London, and have received his letter in the meantime, perhaps you will have communicated with him. In any event it is too late for me to do anything more about it, unless you completely change your idea of going to Palestine.

I am much interested in your account of the possible hoards. There may be more liklihood of their materializing in Paris than there would be in Greece. I suspect you will find sections of the Mansura Hoard in Egypt as well as in Paris. I hope you succeed in getting the Mende fragment. I suspect the small collection, of which you speak, will be yours before you leave Paris, and here's hoping. I shall tell Mr. Beatty what you say about the Corinthian stater. Regarding the Croton piece, I am unable to account for your erased E unless it be a re-cut dié of the "Temesa" issue or possibly an overstruck piece of that kind.

Yes, George found the article all right, and we have it. Do please send me details of the Mansura Hoard, and in the meantime I will insert a blank for it.

We have heard from Dr. Regling clearing up some fifteen or more hoards concerning which we questioned him. If only Orsi would let us hear from him, there would be no excuse for finishing the work.

Mr. Reilly has got back to us, and there is to be a Council meeting tomorrow. The work on the connection with the outside vault is progressing rapidly. It will soon be finished. Mrs. Brett has got back from the country, but we have seen very little of her. I am taking up the subject matter of Dr. Gaebler's letter with Miss Richter, and hope to be able to send the cases in a few days.

The Demanhur article was mailed yesterday and the Tyre is almost finished. We are almost through with the first proof of Mr. Gillingham's "Italian Decorations", but Miss Earle was taken to the Hospital threatened with appendicitis last week, and this, coupled with a visit to Philadelphia for the purpose of straightening out a number of questions, has delayed matters a little. Miss Earle is now much better, and it looks as though it might not be necessary for an operation.

This will seem like a great lot of chatter I fear, but the opportunity to send it along with the letters which are enclosed could not be resisted. I am sending this to Paris but can not forsee, of course, where it will reach you.

Yours ever,

Secretary.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
c/o Guaranty Trust Co. of New York,
1 - 3 Rue les Italiens,
Paris, France.

P.S. Enclosed is a cast of a cyzicene stater just brought in by a man. We have told him to name a figure. If you are interest, you might send an offer.

Copy of Sir Charles W.C.Oman to Mr. Newell

Frewin Hall
Oxford, England
November 6th, 1923

Dear Newell:

Best thanks for your Demanhur booklet, which I have read with great profit. I bought some 20 or so of these in Paris from Bougey, when they first came over. How I wish I could have another pick at the residium. But when I tried him after the war, he said that they were all gone.

I have tried to re-arrange my few scores of Alexanders by your system, and find that they are very predominantly Pella and Amphipolis.

By the way, is not the notion of the bow being mint-mark of Salamis Cypri eminently probably. For the town claimed to have been founded by Teucer of Salamis in the Saronic gulf, and Teucer was the chief archer of the Greek army before Troy, indeed the 'arch-archer' of all Greek myths. In Sophocles Ajax he is always called so his badge would undoubtedly be a bow, and his town would take it on.

I have a facing-left Alexander with m.m.torch, fabric rather thick, style good but not pleasing. I see that this is not among the few facing-left heads in Demanhur, so suppose that mine must have come from elsewhere.

Are you going some day to produce a general Alexander-catalogue? Or are we still to look back to the American Journal for your original article? If the latter, can you tell me if the number is still in print?

I write this in the midst of an archaeological meeting of Oxford diocesan board - so it may not be very coherent.

Believe me,
Yours sincerely,

(Signed) C.W.C.Oman

November 19th, 1923.

Dear Mr. Newell:

Both Mr. Wood and I received your letters from Florence this morning, and mighty glad we were to hear from you. Miss Earle is back at work although she has been feeling the effect of her illness.

We received package No. 4 from Baldwin today. This makes all that you have written about excepting one containing selections from his stock, if that was to come separately. I note that you did not secure the Mende fragment, and we will see what can be done about the Cyzicene stater. I am having two copies of your Demanhur article sent to Egypt as well as two of the "Tyrus Redivâva". We are just sending out the latter.

Dr. Robinson is here, and we are having a splendid time over your coins.

The fall meeting was without incident also without a quorum. It was made notable however by Mr. Gillingham's gift of some important decorations by virtue of which he has been elected a Patron.

With cordial greetings to Mrs. Newell, I am,

Yours ever and truly,

December 22nd, 1923

Dear Mr. Newell:

It is the Saturday before Christmas, and as I want a line to reach you before the Bement Sale takes place, Miss Earle and I are taking her typewriter in hand to send you the Season's greetings first, and what news there is regarding the Society, second.

The letters proposing that members give Christmas gifts to the Society have brought us some very pleasant surprises in the way of gifts. I am enclosing one of the letters that went out. But besides the accessions recorded there, Mr. Belden obtained from Mr. Grinnell a very desirable Peace medal, and from another member, a sketch of Lawrence by Wyon. Mr. Billingham gave us enough decorations to entitle him to become a Patron - and all-told the results are very gratifying.

I presume that you have learned that the first section of the Bement Sale is to take place on January 8th. I mention this in case you may want to attend. I am planning to send some bids, but Heaven help me if I get the pieces at the prices.

I have also received from Ravel some Heraclea coins and some casts of other Magna Graeciae pieces at prices which to me seem reasonable. Some of them I am paying for; and one or two others I am asking him to let me hold until you get back, because I think that they are ones which you will want.

A few days ago, we received two packages from Baldwin, and I could not rest easy until I had opened them although addressed to you. Evidently they are the pieces to which you referred in a former letter, and include some Himyarite and other miscellaneous coins.
Mr. Wood has also purchaseed the Cyzicus stater for you at $200.

We had a communication from Dr. Vicenza of Milan. Perhaps you will see him on your way back.

There have been a number of "Thank you" letters regarding Demanhur and Tyre - all of which speak very highly of both works.

We hope to get out Andritsaena in January, or shortly thereafter.

My! but we shall be glad to have you back!

Very sincerely,

Edward T. Newell, Esq.

December 26th, 1943

Dear Mr. Newell:

About one of the nicest of my Christmas greetings was a letter from you which awaited my coming today. We were all mighty glad to get your greetings and to hear of your doings.

I was also glad to hear that Mr. Seager had been with you because he will have given you some of the latest news.

The work about the mounds is exciting! May the good work continue and may Fortune be kind! I suspect that the fur will fly when you get back.

Mr. Wood is feeling better. At the last meeting, the Council approved Mr. Wood's suggestion that Mrs. Prest be made Associate Curator of Ancient Coins; and as she has just recovered from an attack of the Wanderlust which threatened to take her to Greece, we are looking forward to an active winter. We hope to begin printing Lampsacus within a fortnight or so.

Everyone sends cordial greetings, and we are all looking forward to your return.

Yours ever and truly,

Edward T. Newell, Esq.

Form 61

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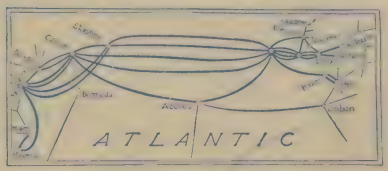

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January 15th, 1924

Dear Mr. Newell:

Your last letter with the details of the awards which have kept you busy was very interesting reading. We have all enjoyed it. You are mighty good to write in the midst of so much "busy-ness".

Mr. Wood and I will look out for "the awful collection in the wooden box" you are sending us, but from my own experience of the American Express, I should say that you stand a pretty good chance of its never reaching us. Also, slow freight, in my opinion, is often out to beat the American Express.

I note what you say about Mr. Seager, and I am beginning to have a few tremors on my account, because, if you remember, the Andritsaena article expresses the author's [illegible] to a temporary resident in Athens. Don't you think that it would be a good [illegible] to make Seager an Honorary Member as a precaution?

I am glad that you escaped the flies. I have visions of your running the Customs in Italy!

Your cabsegram arrived just the day before the Annual Meeting, and we were all glad to hear from you.
Did you receive word of the death of M. Theodon? We have received no details, although Wyman may write us.

The Annual Meeting was a grand success. One member has promised us a cheque for $1,000 to start a Library Fund. Also, we have received as a gift from Mr. Huntington five magnificent cabinets which after some slight repairs should give us excellent service. Money has been found for the library binding and so Ye Writer is temporarily happy!

I have had several letters from Professor West regarding his article. He is taking up the Athenian gold question along with the other phase, and some of the references I have given him seem to have got him pretty well excited.

Did you see the notice of the death of Professor Gildersleeve?

Italian Decorations has been sent out to members, and is apparently favorably received.

We miss you sadly, and I am looking forward to the day you get back.

Very sincerely,

Edward T. Newell, Esq.

HÔTEL GRAY & D'ALBION
CANNES (A.M.)

Feb 5th

Dear Noel

Enclosed I am forwarding you a little MSS – "a pot boiler" – written rather hurriedly (and luridly) for consumption by "Numismatist" readers. Will you kindly have it typed (Miss Reilly can do it) and sent in to Duffield? Its of no value except to get one or two things on record before I forget them, and it may be of interest to the Poetoi. You are hereby empowered to make any grammatical corrections you

may see fit to suggest - and don't send the typed MSS back to me for correction or approval! I don't want to see it again.

I am not answering any letters sent after Dec. 26th for the simple reason that the Guaranty Trust slipped up and forwarded them to the wrong address so that they haven't reached us yet, but they ought to soon. I will then write at greater length.

Greetings to all,

Sincerely

Edward Newell.

(I have printed the names of towns in the MSS - but this is only for Miss K's or Miss E's benefit.)

June 7th, 1924

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
Halesite, L.I.

Dear Mr. Newell:

The package of casts from Ravel has come, as well as a note from Mr. Gillingham saying that he had written you that he did not want to come on for the next Council meeting. Don't you think it would be a good plan to inform him of Mr. Reilly's action, and the need of having a good representation of the members of the Council present? If you think it advisable, we could send out a second notice calling the meeting at an earlier hour than 4 o'clock - or, failing that, Mr. Gillingham might leave in time to catch a train that would get him home that evening. I feel that it is important to get something done about the Treasurership before the summer is upon us, especially if any plans are to be made for the Fall.

If you are not coming in early in the week, will you telephone me so that I can write Mr. Gillingham.

Sincerely yours,

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PARIS APRIL 27/25

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY

(BROADWAY AND 156 STREET NEWYORK NY)

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April 28th, 1925

Dear Mr. Newell:

Your cablegram came yesterday morning, and we shall be governed accordingly. I presume you have written Mrs. Brett, although from what you cabled, I can understand that aside from the omission of names, it will have little bearing on her text. In any event, I shall await your letter, of course.

We have received all your packages from England.

The Paul Revere medal is not selling as well as I had hoped, although orders are still coming in slowly. I enclose, for your amusement, a copy of a letter we received. Please tell Mrs. Newell that I have reserved for her copies 2 and 3 in bronze. If she wishes more, please let me know.

Work on the Bibliography of Greek Coin Boards is proceeding slowly. The whole is now in first proof, and checking it up is proving a weary chore!

I suppose you have received the Naville Sale Catalogues.

Mr. Gillingham writes that he had much fun in hunting sundials with you. He seems to think that he has exhausted the possibilities in his line, as far as Paris is concerned.

I suppose this will reach you after you get back from Greece, if you go. We are glad you did not start for Sofia.

Very sincerely,

Edward T. Newell, Esq.

May 14th, 1925

Dear Mr. Newell:

I sent on part of your letter to Professor West, and here is an enclosure which he sent back with the request that I forward it to you. I realize that it will arrive too late for you to do anything about it, but Wheeler may have mentioned West's correspondence; and, in any event, it is simplest to send it on to you.

I have been quite floored this morning by the news of Seager's death, which has doubtless reached you. Perhaps you will get into touch with Colonel Macdonald before you come back now.

Did you see the news of Blegen's having found several Mycenaean tombs?

I hope your trip to Vienna was a success.

Cordially yours,

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
Paris, France

December 26th, 1925

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
The Mayflower
Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Newell:

The enclosed telegram came today, and I am forwarding it to you in case you want to respond to it.

Mr. Faelton was here this morning. He was disappointed at not seeing you. If you are planning to return next week, you might drop him a line C/o M. R. Faelton, 233 Newark Avenue, Bloomfield, N.J.

Ravel has sent an interesting lot of casts. A circumstance I mention, not to stimulate your desire to return but just by way of passing.

Thank you for your Christmas card. With best wishes for the New Year,

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary

EMMANUEL J. MOATSOS

P. O. BOX No. 1530

TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS:
MOATSOS, SHANGHAI

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AND
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上海慕亞子洋行

Shanghai, 13th/VIII/ 1926.
(CHINA)

Edward T. Newell Esq.
President.
The American Numismatic Society.
New York. U.S.A.

COPY

Dear Sir,

Through the personal recommendation of Mr. John Reilly Jr. Council of the American Numismatic Society who was in this city some months ago, I am sending you under seperate cover forty (40) pieces very old GREEK and ROMAN coins: these are of a very old epoch, namely, VIZANDIAN, GREAT ALEXANDER, MACEDONIAN, VENEZIAN, PTOLEMEUS, and PHILIPUS, MINOS and RADAMNTHIS, (first King of Crete), JOAN CORNILIOS, ST. MARCUS.

The abovementioned are from the Isle Crete, Candia, Labirinthos, Cnossos, Elevtherna, Panormo, Castelli.

I should esteem it a favour if you would make me an OFFER for the PURCHASE of these coins. (Forty various pieces.)

Please reply to the address. C/o AMERICAN EXPRESS CO. INC. SHANGHAI-CHINA. MR. EMMANUEL J. MOATSOS.

These are a portion of a very valuable collection owned by my grand father, a Great collector, and whose collection was greatly sought after during his life time.

Trusting to receive from you at an early date,

Continued →

EMMANUEL J. MOATSOS

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Shanghai, 15/III/ 1926
(CHINA)

and thanking you in anticipation.
Please you answer per first mail.
I remain
Yours faithfully.
Emmanuel J. Moatsos

I am a GREEK from the Ist Crete.

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海上慕亞子洋行

Shanghai, April 8th 1926.
(CHINA)

Edward T. Newell Esq.
President.
The American Numismatic Society.
Broadway between 155th & 156th Sts.
New York city.

Dear Sir,

On December 14th 1925, C.P.C. Receipt of a parcel addressed to you No 67064. I have sent you a parcel with (40) forty various old GREEK and ROMAN coins. I have not received any answer for their safe delivery, and have written you three times more but could not get any satisfactory result.

I beg you once more, dear Sir, to answer me by first mail, and to give me an offer for coins sent to you: or to sent them back if they are of no interest to you. I hope that you will not neglect this time, to give me a satisfactory reply and prevent me of taking serious steps in order to shield my interests.

I beg to remain, Dear Sir
Yours truly
Emm. Moatsos

慕亞子洋行

EMMANUEL J. MONTSOS
IMPORT AND EXPORT
REPRESENTATIVE AND COMMISSION AGENT
P. O. BOX No. 1230
SHANGHAI, (CHINA).

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Edward T. Newell Esq.
President
The American Numismatic Society
Broadway 156th street.
New York city
U. S. A.

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June 19, 1926.

My dear Mr. Newell:

I went over the details of the plan for printing Spanish Decorations at the Hispanic Society this morning, and find some insuperable difficulties which I had not considered. I am therefore sending you a cheque for $3,000.00 as a contribution towards the publication of the book. Then it can be issued as a regular publication of The American Numismatic Society. I think this will be more agreeable to the Society and will work out better in the end.

With cordial regard,

Faithfully yours,

A. M. Huntington

E. T. Newell, Esquire,
President,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway at 155th Street,
New York City.

June 25, 1926.

My dear Mr. Newell:

I am glad you like the plan, but do not think it would be wise for the Hispanic Society to take any copies, as they should be distributed by yourselves,- except perhaps two copies for our Library.

With best wishes,

Always faithfully yours,

Archer M. Huntington

E. T. Newell, Esquire,
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American Numismatic Society

September 28, 1926

The following letter from Mr. Farrise V. Merritt is submitted to the Council for action, as the dinner mentioned will, in all probability, be held before the next meeting of Council:

September 21, 1926

"I am going to attend early in October, an American Legion Post Dinner and have been asked to tell the members thereof something about our American Army Medals.

"It occurred to me that it would be desirable to have with me a selection of army medals including the medal of honor "L.S.C.E.S.M." and the various service medals encased in some manner so that they would not be handled. I will, of course, bear any expense in mailing the proper case if it is possible to arrange the loan of these items to me for this or other similar occasions."

If you approve of allowing Mr. Merritt to borrow a few of our medals to illustrate his talk (mentioning our Society) will you kindly reply to this effect? Or, simply sign your name to this letter, and return.

Very truly yours,

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President

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OK Albert Gallatin

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Edward T. Newell

President

Dear Mr Newell
Presuming this is the Mr Merritt we know of think it will be a very good idea to accommodate him. Cannot the medals be fastened in a tray that has rim - ~~they~~ can then be exhibited, or even handed around without being handled

Sincerely H. K. Brown

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Very truly yours,

Approved
J. Pauman Lo Bedden
September 29, 1926.

Edward T. Newell
President

Reply OK

American Numismatic Society

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Very truly yours,

Edward T. Newell
President

I approve, under above agreement,
Harold D. Cunningham

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ATTENTION OF

Sydney P. Noe, Esq.,
Secretary, American Numismatic Society,
Broadway, bet. 155th and 156th Sts.,
NEW YORK, - N.Y.
U. S. A.

Dear Mr. Noe:

I am forwarding you by concurrent mail the cut of Küner which you kindly forwarded me in 1922. Kindly accept my thanks for the use of it.

I am also forwarding to you today for the Society a copy of my book on the Assay Office and the Mint at New Westminster, B.C., the story of the B. C. gold coins, which I trust the Society will place on the shelves of its Numismatic Library.

Yours very truly,

RLR/AT.

ROBERT JAMES EIDLITZ
41 EAST 42ND STREET
NEW YORK CITY

October 1st,1926.

Edward T. Newell, Esq., Pres.,
156th Street & Broadway,
New York City.

Dear Mr.Newell:

I have yours of September 28th. I am quite agreeable to loaning the medals mentioned in your letter to Mr.Merritt.

Very sincerely yours,

Robert Eidlitz

RJE:HAP

FAIRVIEW
GRAND AVENUE
NEWBURGH, N. Y.

October 2d. 1926

Dear Mr. Newell:-

Your letter of the 28th was brought to me here where I have been indisposed for about a week.

I am quite agreeable to the loaning of a few medals to Mr. F. P. Merritt as I deem him responsible and I know one cannot give a good talk about medals unless they can be shown and again his discourse may be of some benefit to our Society.

Kind regards

Sincerely Yours

Elliott J. Mott

May 27th, 1926

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
Halesite, L. I.

Dear Mr. Newell:

A telephone message from Prince Dumbadze says that he will come to the Society on Tuesday afternoon next, if that is convenient to you.

I am sending this in the event that you might not get here tomorrow.

In case you are not free on Tuesday, will you kindly cancel the appointment direct? His telephone number is Endicott 3306.

Very truly yours,

June 4, 1927

E. T. Newell, Esq.,
Hillside, L. I., N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I am sorry not to have been here yesterday when George came. I have sent the monograph to Mr. Parsons.

With regard to the plaster casts, I am enclosing a yellow paper sketch to show that you can allow yourself a little more leeway. The black line is the size that I have used for Metapuntum and this, owing to the size of the separate flan stoters, is the maximum. The size indicated by the green lines would be better. This as you may recall is 1/4" wider at each side and a little greater in height. I hope this will be clear to you. In laying out your first plate, you seem to have taken one of the earlier monographs as a pattern.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

SPN:MB
Encl.

July 13, 1927

Mr. Moritz Wormser,
95 Fifth Avenue,
New York City

Dear Sir:

Your letter of the 11th is at hand and I am forwarding it to Mr. Newell for his consideration. I quite favor the suggestion you make and as soon as I hear from him will reply to you.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

SPN:MB

EDWARD T NEWELL
PRESIDENT

SYDNEY P. NOE
SECRETARY

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HARROLD E. GILLINGHAM
TREASURER

HOWLAND WOOD
CURATOR

TELEPHONE:
WADSWORTH 7735

THE AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY BETWEEN 155TH
AND 156TH STREETS
NEW YORK

July 13, 1927

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite, L.I., N.Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:

Enclosed is a letter from Mr. Wormser. The suggestion seems a good one to me. I also enclose a copy of my letter to him. If you concur in my feeling that it is desirable to do this, will you kindly let me know and I will send him the list.

Very truly yours,

Sydney P. Noe

Secretary

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Good idea!
By all means send him the list.
E.T.N.

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FIFTH AVENUE 58TH TO 59TH STREETS
AT CENTRAL PARK

THE GREENBRIER
WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. VA.

FRED STERRY
MANAGING DIRECTOR

NEW YORK

Dear Noe.

The enclosed card explains itself. Will you please act on it and send bill to Mr. Parsons?

I forgot yesterday to show you the mounted plate. You will find it in a red box on my desk. If it is all right, please inform my Chauffeur George and I can then go ahead and mount up the remainder so that I can bring them in with me the next time I come.

Sincerely,

E. T. Newell

September 1, 1927

Mr. H. T. Newell,
Halesite, L. I., N.Y.

Dear Sir:

Herewith is the first proof of the text only of Metacontum, which you so kindly offered to read.

Very sincerely yours,

Secretary

SPN:MB

September 7, 1927

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Hicksite, L.I., N. Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:

The enclosure addressed to the American Numismatic Society came from your bank this morning. I presume that you have instructed them to send it direct and that they have neglected to do so, but as I have no warrant for this, I am sending it to you. I hope it will not delay matters unduly.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

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BROADWAY BETWEEN 155TH
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NEW YORK

September 24, 1927

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
Halesite, L.I., N.Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:

Mr. Wood was unable to tell me when you would be in again. I was very sorry to have missed you yesterday, but it was unpreventable.

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You will recall that Professor Bellinger is to be here on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Sincerely yours,

Sydney P. Noe

Secretary

SPN:MB
Encl.

P. S. Mr. Regling's book on Priene has arrived.

Later - Also Peley from Copenhagen and another - a large Mo. from Rev. C. Rogers. (Shall we see you Monday?)
SPN

September 24, 1927

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
Halesite, L.I., N.Y.

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Sincerely yours,

Secretary

SPN:MB
Encl.
P. S. Mr. Reeling's book on Priene has arrived.

October 4, 1927

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite, L. I., N. Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:

Just after you left, the proof for your monograph came. This is better than that for Mr. Rogers. You will note the corrections in red. These are the printer's corrections. I have not read the proof as yet, but I hope to have done so by the time you get here Saturday, though I shall have to do it without the copy which I am sending you. Please make your corrections very explicit and careful on this proof as it is the one we shall want to send back to the printer.

I have written Mr. Rogers to disregard proof sent him and to wait until a better and more nearly complete set can be mailed. I hope we shall see you before Saturday afternoon, otherwise it will be a rather hectic session, unless things simply in the meantime. I am planning to be away tomorrow and Friday of this week. The casts from Dr. MacDonald have arrived as well as the package from Seabey. I have written Mr. Miller that you will be here on Saturday.

The 1927 volume of the "Zeitschrift" has been received. It contains the long awaited record of the two Egyptian hoards of Archaic coins, which Regling has been promising for sometime, as well as an interesting article by Gaebler, part 9 of which is "Zur Münzkunde Makedoniens." Incidentally, there is a review of your last monograph.

Yours ever,

Secretary

SPN:MB
Encl.

October 15, 1927

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
Halesite, L.I., N. Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:

Herewith is second proof of your article together with plates and copy. You will note that he has indicated changes made in red. We have not examined the copy. I am reading from a second set of proof here. Please make your corrections on both sets of the proof enclosed.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

SPN:MB
Encl.

AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
BROADWAY AND ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-SIXTH STREET
NEW YORK

Dear Noe.

I find that in my hurry the other day I left the Spink Bill on my desk – so I am remitting you a cheque for $360 – When next I am in town (Saturday probably) I will give you a cheque for the odd dollar and cents whatever they may amount to.

I am also enclosing a letter from Magoffin which explains itself. Will you please send the desired

information to Mr. W[illegible]?

Very truly yours

Edward T. Newell

23d November, 1927

Edward T. Newell, Esq.,
Hotel Plaza,
New York, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:

Herewith I am sending you galley and page proof of Mr. Rogers' article. I do not suppose it will reach you before Friday morning, but if there will be any gain of time by remailing it please do not wait until you come in again.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary

5th October, 1928

E. T. Newell, Esq.,
Halesite, Long Island

Dear Mr. Newell:

Just a line to tell you that Mr. Huntington was in for a brief stay yesterday afternoon. Also, that there are two registered packages from London here for you.

Yours ever,

Publications of Edward T. Newell

Alexander Hoards: Andritsaena. New York, 1923.

Alexander Hoards: Introduction and Kyparissia. New York, 1921.

Alexander Hoards: II. Demanhur, 1905. New York, 1923.

The Alexandrine Coinage of Sinope. New York, 1919.

A Cilician Find. Numismatic Chronicle, 1914, pp. 1-33.

The Coinages of Demetrius Poliorcetes. London, 1927.

The Dated Alexander Coinage of Sidon and Ake. New Haven, 1916.

The First Seleucid Coinage of Tyre. New York, 1921.

The Gold Medallions of Akukiv. American Journal of Numismatics, xliv, 128

Myriandros-Alexandria Kataison. New York, [illegible].

Mikakles, King of Sidon. Numis.Chron., [illegible], xix, [illegible].

The Octobols of Histiaea. New York, 1921

A Parthian Hoard. Numis.Chron., [illegible], pp.[illegible].

The Pre-Imperial Coinage of Roman Antioch. Numis.Chron., [illegible], xix, 69.

Reattribution of Certain Tetradrachms of Alexander the Great. New York, 1912

The Seleucid Mint of Antioch. New York, 1918.

Some Cypriote "Alexanders". Numis.Chron., 1915, xv, pp.[illegible].

Some Rare or Unpublished Greek Coins. New York, [illegible].

Tarsos Under Alexander. New York, 1919.

Tyrus Rediviva. New York, 1923.

March 30, 1931.

Mr. Edward T.Newell,

Dear Mr. Newell,

In response to the suggestion that I prepare a memorandum regarding Mr. Hodge's letter to you concerning the procedure on the part of our library with books purchased by funds supplied by the Huntington Free Library Reading Room, I beg to submit the following:

It seems to me that the procedure outlined in paragraph 2 is unnecessarily complicating. If bills certified as correct by me are forwarded to Miss Gaines and recorded by her, would it not be the simplest then to send them to the Central Hanover Bank & Trust Company for payment? The bank could then inform Miss Gaines of the equivalent paid for bills in foreign currencies, and the quarterly or semi-annual statement of the bank would provide a means of checking at the end of a period, which would not be too long, for detecting any errors that might have crept in.

Concerning paragraph 3, it seems to me that all requirements will be met to the greatest convenience of everybody concerned if an author-card for books purchased by this fund be sent to Miss Gaines with the customary subject headings on the reverse of the card. This will show the analysis of the books as decided upon by us.If it meets the procedure in the Huntington Library, additional subject cards can be made out there with comparatively little trouble, whereas if we send these subject cards all made out they would require doing over again,unless the procedure in both libraries was identical. In discussing this question with Miss Gaines, she seemed to think the single author-card suggested above would be adequate under the circumstances.

You will see of course that these suggestions are of minor importance, and I hope you will find that they simplify matters.

Respectfully submitted,

Librarian.

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WALTER HASPELL, ASS'T CASHIER

Kenosha, Wis. April 29, 1931.

Mr. Ed. Newell,
Bedford Hills, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:

I just had a visit with Roger Kimball, with reference to the enclosed photograph, of lithograph design, of paper issued by Edward Bain, Southport, Wisconsin, which means that previous to 1850 the City of Kenosha was known as Southport.

Our Historical Society is gathering information about various hiatorical documents, including the one enclosed.

Can you tell us how this document was used in the community?

I noticed that Edward Bain signed as Proprietor and J. Brocket as Cashier. Also, I would like to mention that there was not a design on the back of the document.

Any information you can give us will be of value to us. We would like as full information as we can get.

Sincerely yours,

E T O'Brien

E. T. O'Brien, President.

P.S. If the enclosed photograph will be of any value to you, you may retain same.

ETO:C

May 12, 1931.

1494 Pacific Street,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. Edward T. Newell, President,
The American Numismatic Society,
Broadway at 156th Street,
New York City, N. Y.

My dear Mr. Newell:

Competent authority suggested my writing your organization for certain information. The original inquiry was returned with a red pencil notation, decipherable after study, written on reverse side, without signature. Either a favorable or an unfavorable impression of any concern is left by the contact person.

By tradition your Society is one from whom ordinary business courtesy would be expected. For this reason final judgment is withheld until you, as the chief executive, pass judgment on the question at issue.

My first impression is that your subordinate has formed a habit of using this brusque treatment as an expedient to keep his correspondence up to date. Is it not possible that by pursuing this course, he may cause serious embarrassment to your Society in a more vital case?

Thanking you for your consideration in this matter, I am,

Very truly yours,

William A. [illegible]

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TECHNIQUES

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My dear Prof. Comfort:

Enclosed I am returning the two objects. I am very [illegible] about making remarks [illegible] such things as they are particularly easy to make. I [illegible], though, that the [illegible] on the silver [illegible] has all the [illegible] of [illegible] brought about by the action of time. The [illegible] I [illegible] should not come to [illegible] I have [illegible] of similar nature and they are the [illegible] things in the world to make. I [illegible] that you had [illegible] modelling to pass on, the only things to which I feel [illegible] to pass judgment.

Granting that it may be proved that the [illegible] objects [illegible] and [illegible], my [illegible] is that the silver [illegible] the [illegible] of our era of the style [illegible] as very much of the similar [illegible] of the [illegible] of the [illegible] the early years of [illegible] design. There is not enough, however, to go on as the [illegible] is very [illegible] and the details of the [illegible] is not [illegible] with sufficient [illegible]. [illegible] at [illegible] would be made from an old mold, or from an [illegible] [illegible] thin [illegible] metal into the [illegible] design, it may well have been done at a very much later date.

Regretting the indefiniteness of this letter, due to the [illegible] and [illegible] character of the objects [illegible], I remain

Very truly yours,

[illegible] 1950

Mr. [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible], Ala.

Dear Mr. [illegible]:

[illegible] letter, but to be honest [illegible] the [illegible], I [illegible] write to [illegible] letter of [illegible].

[illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [

[illegible] 1921

Mr. William A. [illegible],
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

Your letter of [illegible] was received at our Museum during my absence, hence my delay in answering it.

I do [illegible] you have taken offense where no offense was intended. I have looked into the matter of the [illegible] to your [illegible] and [illegible] it [illegible] at a time when our [illegible] was incapacitated for a week by an unfortunate [illegible] accident. We had therefore to answer all letters by [illegible]. We have no [illegible], apparently, of the [illegible] of [illegible] we receive daily at our Museum from all over the world. We make a point of answering them as quickly as possible. Under the circumstances our overworked curator and his staff, rather than [illegible] people waiting, replied by annotations on the letters of [illegible] in that [illegible]. [illegible] your letter.

Regretting your findings in the matter very much I [illegible], as our museum in particular has always had the reputation of [illegible] all possible courtesies to strangers as well as members, I remain,

Very truly yours,

President.

THE AMERICAN PHILOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION
JOSEPH WILLIAM HEWITT, SECRETARY AND TREASURER

WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY, MIDDLETOWN, CONN.

May 22, 1931.

My dear Mr. Newell:

You have been nominated to membership in the American Philological Association by Dr. S.McA. Mosser. I therefore extend you a cordial invitation to become a member. As you doubtless know, this Association has for its purpose the promotion of classical scholarship and research on the North American Continent. Most of the well-trained classical scholars in the country are members of it. It will be a genuine pleasure to add your name to their number.

The Association publishes an annual volume of Transactions and Proceedings. The Transactions contain articles by members of the Association giving the results of research. The Proceedings record the business of the Association and give the complete membership list. All members of the Association receive the Transactions and Proceedings.

There are two classes of members, life members and annual members. Life members pay a single fee of fifty dollars; for annual members there is an initiation fee of five dollars (which also pays the first year's dues) and an annual charge of four dollars thereafter.

I shall be glad to hear from you at an early date and to enroll your name in whichever class of membership seems best to you.

Very cordially yours,

J. W. Hewitt

Mr. Edward T. Newell
American Numismatic Society
Broadway at 156th Street
New York City

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[illegible]

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as I was able to extract from various old books. In [illegible] di [illegible] Pontificie etc., Rome 1821, p.15 no.V [illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible] against the Protestants had been taken up - but [illegible] Molineti [illegible] flirting. His idea being that as water is the gift of Heaven and [illegible]ages the lilies of Jove to grow so the Pope encourages France.

[illegible]

the lilies (arms of the Farnese).

[illegible]

[illegible], would be of considerably more value and would probably command a pretty good figure. The dies for the struck pieces were preserved [illegible] (and may still exist, for all I know) in the royal mint and many restrikes have been made from time to time so that the actual pieces are far from rare. My impression of the piece which you showed me, however, is that this particular piece appears to be an early specimen - and so would have a little more value and interest than a more recent restrike.

Sometime that this reaches you safely, and with kindest regards,

Sincerely,

November 2, 1931.

Mr. Edward T. Newell
Halesite, Long Island.

Dear Mr. Newell:

A letter from Bellinger arrived this morning says, "I am coming to New York on Wednesday with the M's. and casts of the Third and Fourth Dura Boards. Will you please tell Newell that I should like to see him if possible to discuss sundry Institute matters and to ask him a few questions."

If you are going to be unable to come, would you be so good as to let me know Tuesday if possible, so that I may come in on Wednesday as I should not like to have Bellinger arrive without either of us being here.

Very truly yours,

SN:JC

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Memorial Hall, Philadelphia

February 17, 1932

Sidney P. Noe, Esq.
American Numismatic Society
156th St. west of Broadway
New York.

My dear Mr. Noe:

I have at last been able to procure a photograph, which I am sending you under separate cover, of the symbol of the Sasanian period about which I wrote you on February 6th. asking you whether you would be so kind as to identify it for me.

If this exact symbol appears on the coins of one of the Sasanian kings, or if you know of it in any other connection, I shall greatly appreciate whatever you can tell me about it.

Trusting that I have not put you to too much trouble, and thanking you, I am

Sincerely,

Ethel C. Elkins

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Memorial Hall, Philadelphia

February 17, 1932

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
American Numismatic Society
156th St. west of Broadway
New York.

My dear Mr. Newell:

Thank you so much for your letter of February 15th.

It so happens that only this morning I sent a photograph of the Sasanian symbol under discussion to Mr. Noe. Will you be so kind as to look at it, and tell me whether it means anything to you? It is not quite like the sketch I made in my letter of February 6, as you will see. I also think, from my investigations so far, that this may be a religious symbol, but if it can be definitely assigned to a Sasanian monarch, so much the better!

In Rawlinson's Seventh Great Oriental Monarchy, Vol. I., page 100, is pictured a gem bearing the head of Sapor I. On the side of his crown is this mark which led me to believe that the symbol under discussion might be definitely identified, but if it is a variation of the so-called "Taurine" symbol, then of course there is nothing to be done but to turn to investigations in religious channels.

I shall be only too glad to advise you of anything of any importance that I may find. I sincerely trust that in the meantime I am not putting you to too much trouble in asking you to look at the photograph and to advise me of your opinion, for which I shall be most grateful.

Sincerely,

Ethel C. Elkins

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THE PURE OIL COMPANY

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HENRY M. DAWES
PRESIDENT

CHICAGO

May 2, 1932

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS:

Accompanying this letter you will find the call for the annual meeting of The Pure Oil Company, with proxy. The following is quoted from the letter of the president of the company, which is now in the hands of the stockholders.

"The basis of values in nearly every branch of industrial activity has been radically affected by general conditions in the last three years. This is particularly true with the petroleum industry. As a natural result of this, a revision of the values previously established should be reflected in the accounting of most corporations. Otherwise, current earnings would be burdened with amortization charges, during a period of depression, on values which were established in periods of inflated prosperity.

"The Pure Oil Company has, in recent years, made acquisitions both of physical properties and securities which have increased very largely in value. On the other hand, other assets of the company, due to conditions which are of universal application, have decreased in earning capacity on the basis of present prices. On this account, the valuations which are now set up on the segregated assets of the company are not in correct proportion one to the other. Until this is corrected, no proper basis for amortization of the company's property as a whole can be established. A condition exists where it is possible that conventional accounting procedure might, in the future, necessitate the setting up of such large depreciation and depletion items as would preclude the payment of earned and properly distributable dividends.

"After consultation with competent legal and auditing authorities, the management recommends, as a necessary step to correct this situation, that the common stockholders exchange their present shares of $25.00 par value for an equal number of shares of no par value.

"On approval of this change the books will be readjusted on a basis which will show a book value on the common stock of $22.25 per share. Of this $10.00 per share will be accounted for as stated capital and $12.25 as surplus.

"In arriving at a valuation, under present day conditions, it will be recognized that there is a wide margin within which honest appraisements might reasonably vary. In the exercise of its judgment the management feels that it will be in the company's interest to use conservative estimates, and the values which it sets up will be on the basis of the continuance of present day conditions.

"This readjustment will serve to make more certain the maintenance of reasonable asset values, the continuance of preferred dividends, and expedite the resumption of dividends on the common stock. I very strongly urge that in their own interests, as well as those of the company, the stockholders send in promptly proxies authorizing this adjustment."

The stockholders will understand, of course, that these changes will not affect, in any way, the actual values of their securities nor the equities between the different classes of securities.

Upon its approval by the stockholders the management will be in the best possible position to bring about both the enhancement of the principal of their investments and the income therefrom. It will be particularly appreciated if the stockholder will return the signed proxy as quickly as convenient. I recommend this course without reservation.

Very respectfully,

Henry M Dawes

President

ALL QUOTATIONS SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE
ALL AGREEMENTS CONTINGENT UPON STRIKES, FIRES, ACTS OF THE GOVERNMENT AND CARRIERS, AND ALL OTHER CAUSES BEYOND OUR CONTROL

May 14, 1932.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
Chalfonte-Haddon-Hall
Atlantic City, N. J.

Dear Mr. Newell:

The Council meeting yesterday was a fervid one with our Treasurer painting prospects which were [illegible] indeed. Mr. Field occupied the chair and it was decided to appoint a committee of three, consisting of himself, Mr. Gallatin and Mr. Miller, to promise into means for retrenchment.

We are all sorry to hear that Mrs. Newell has not been well and hope that the change of weather will benefit her.

As this is Saturday and a half day, the consequence is, I must defer details until you arrive.

Very truly yours,

EN:JG

Secretary

May 18, 1932.

Edward T. Newell, Esq.
Chalfonte-Haddon-Hall
Atlantic City, N. J.

Dear Mr. Newell:

It is our hope that the absence of word from you does not signify that Mrs. Newell is still indisposed. There will be no room for doubt on your part as to how much you have been missed when you see the accumulation of correspondence that awaits your return. This note is merely to say that the Council's committee met here yesterday and left with a somewhat better feeling than they had had previously. To go into details would take too long, in addition to being something which I prefer to spare you. I was asked, however, to write and request that if possible you let us know a day or so in advance of your return so that the committee could be called together again before you leave for the country. You will understand that I am merely following instructions. I hope you will also understand that if there is anything I can do to simplify matters for you that I should be glad to have you let me know.

Very sincerely yours,

M:JC

August 12, 1932.

Dear Mr. Newell:

Regarding the recent "consignment" from Ravel in which he sent a coin of Heraclea, along with two fractions of Poseidonia (for me), the value of the first coin being $6.00 and the other two fifty cents each, am I correct in thinking that you told me you would send him this amount. All this happened before I left for my vacation and I did not mark his letter at the time. My recollection of the whole affair is very hazy. I hope to get back before you leave but I am making this memorandum so that you may check it up if you have your check book with you.

S. P. N.

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NEW YORK CITY

ADDRESS ALL MAIL TO
EDWARD T. NEWELL
AMERICAN NUMISMATIC SOCIETY
156TH STREET AND BROADWAY
NEW YORK CITY

Nov. 22nd

Dear Noe:

When I sat down to answer the enclosed letter I discovered that the small stock of Society's letter-heads which I keep for just such purposes had all been used up. As I think it were better to answer on such paper I am enclosing the letter. Will you please, as the Secretary in the President's absence (or some such Boloney), reply to the Connecticut people that the Museum of the American Numismatic Society would be delighted to receive the medal for its collections (free of charge, ofcourse). You might also kindly give them the names and addresses of the Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Philadelphia, the U.S.Mint Collection in Washington, the Massachusett's Historical Society, 1154 Boylston St and any others that you can think of who would be glad to have specimens of the medal for their collections. The Yale Library would also probably be glad of a copy for their numismatic collection . Sorry to trouble you in this matter. The next time I am in town I will try to remember to secure a little more of the Society's paper.

Sincerely,

Edward T. Newell

VASSAR COLLEGE
POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.

DEPARTMENT OF LATIN

Nov. 28, 1932

Mr. Edward T. Newell
Numismatic Society
Broadway & 156th St.
New York City

My dear Mr. Newell:

Before your letter of November 19 came I had written to Mr. Ullman a letter about nominations which virtually duplicated your attitude. I sent in the list of trustees as it stood but said that I did not believe in such a list and if there was any way of getting a more effective board without a meeting of our committee, which seemed impossible, I should be glad to accept any suggestions. In short, I considered my list only a tentative one. I have not heard from Mr. Ullman since.

I was sorry not to be able to attend the annual meeting but work kept me here. I am very much pleased to be appointed to the Executive Committee again and shall do my best to attend its meetings.

Very sincerely yours,

Elizabeth Hazelton Haight

EHH/D

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Crescent Athletic-Hamilton Club

129 Pierrepont Street
Brooklyn, N. Y.

January 9, 1933.

TO THE MEMBERS:

The Annual Meeting and Election of the Crescent Athletic-Hamilton Club will be held in the Crescent Clubhouse, corner of Pierrepont and Clinton Streets, Brooklyn, N. Y., on Monday, January 23, 1933.

The polls for the Annual Election will be open from five until nine o'clock P. M.

The Annual Meeting to receive the reports of the President and Treasurer and to transact such other business as may legally come before the meeting, will be held at eight o'clock P. M.

At the Annual Election there will be elected by Life and Resident members the Officers of the Club for the ensuing year, one member of the Governing Committee of the Class of 1934, ten members of the Governing Committee of the Class of 1935, and one Trustee of the Sinking Fund of the Class of 1936.

The following are the candidates who have been placed in nomination for these positions:

For *President*.....ALEXANDER B. GALE
" *Vice-President*.....FRANKLIN M. TOMLIN
" *Secretary*.....FREDERICK H. STEVENSON
" *Treasurer*.....VICTOR A. LERSNER

For Member of the Governing Committee—Class of 1934:

FRANCIS L. DURK

For Members of the Governing Committee—Class of 1935:

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February 2, 1933.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF
THE KENTUCKY ROCK ASPHALT COMPANY, Incorporated:

The annual meeting of the Stockholders of the Kentucky Rock Asphalt Company will be held at the office of the company in the Marion E. Taylor Building, Louisville, Kentucky, on the second Monday in February, to wit, February 13, 1933 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of directors for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

Enclosed are proxies, one of which we would thank you to sign and return. In the event that you are present at the meeting and desire to do so, you can withdraw your proxy and vote in person.

A A Hermes

Secretary.

Enc.

510 Avenue I,
Brooklyn, N. Y.,
March 27, 1933.

Mr. E. T. Newell,
American Numismatic Society,
Broadway and 156th Street,
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:

I am a student of Professors Knapp and Westermann of Columbia University. In connection with my dissertation I have some numismatic questions to handle. In one particular case I think I can establish a new chronology for a disputed series of coins, but I know so little about numismatics that I should hesitate to put my views into print without some expert advice. I am writing in the hope that you will have some spare time in the near future to grant me an interview.

Respectfully yours,
Meyer Reinhold

THE COVINGTON TRUST ASSOCIATION
J. H. RYAN, TREASURER
4515 RIVER ROAD
TOLEDO, OHIO

April 17, 1933.

Dear Brother:

There is no use to mince words about the financial situation of The Covington Trust Association. Frankly, it is in a bad way. At the present moment we owe $7,105.86 in four pressing current obligations alone:

Last half of the 1931 taxes	$1,685.43
First half of the 1932 taxes	1,839.18
Six months' mortgage interest to the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, due February 20, 1933	1,581.25
Note due the Union & New Haven Trust Company	2,000.00
	$7,105.86

All of these items are over-due. To meet them we have $93.96 in the bank. There is the story in a nut-shell, and it doesn't take any fine writing on my part to make it evident that we are in an extremely dangerous situation.

Jack Ryan is one of the best Treasurers an organization of this sort ever had. He has been indefatigable in his efforts to keep us out of debt and it must be heart-breaking to him to see the results.

On October 1, 1932, Brother Ryan sent out bills to collect pledges to the amount of $34,039.29. It should be borne in mind that all of this money was due or past due. It had been pledged by members of the Yale Chapter and it was on the understanding that these pledges would be paid that we went ahead and built the Chapter House. Since sending out these bills on October 1, 1932, Brother Ryan has collected a total of $1,211.50, or about 3½% of the amount due. The worst offenders among those who pledged are the most recent classes to graduate. The seven classes from 1926 to 1931, inclusive, owed on their pledges on October 1, 1932, somewhat over $18,700.00. Since October 1, 1932, they have paid in $518.50.

Just what the trouble is, I don't know. Naturally the present depression has reduced incomes and made it harder to meet contractural obligations, but I am certain that in many cases persons who made pledges are taking advantage of the present financial situation to avoid payment of them. It may be that the members of the Association are not satisfied with the way in which the directors have handled its affairs. I am certain that the directors would be willing in a body to resign at the next annual meeting of the Association and allow successors to be chosen to their places. I feel it would be a serious mistake to allow Jack Ryan to leave the Board. If, however, a new deal is needed to get us out of this present situation, then by all means let us have a new deal.

About four months ago when I saw that we were drifting on to the rocks, I appointed a committee of three to see if they could not borrow $7,500.00 in cash from members of the Association to save us from shipwreck. I know this committee has worked hard because I have been in touch with them. They have succeeded in raising only $2,500.00.

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NEW YORK — ALBANY

TELEPHONE WHITEHALL 4-0662

63 WALL STREET
NEW YORK

November 24, 1933.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite, L. I.

Dear Sir:

This is to advise you that we received remittance for the Keach Drainage and Levee District coupons $210.00 less 25¢ for collection charges. This check we have credited today to your account.

The balance in the Guaranty after giving effect to this check is $1285.24.

Very truly yours,
F. J. YOUNG & CO. INC.
By -

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TELEPHONE HANOVER 2-3840

52 WALL STREET
NEW YORK

June 27, 1934

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite, Long Island.

Dear Edward:

We have set the closing for three o'clock Friday afternoon.

Mr. Campbell of Arthur Andersen and Company returned from Albany this morning and at last has gotten the taxes cleaned up, plus a refund to us of $100. I am sure that this will be good news to you.

I suggest that you plan to drop in to my office on Friday at around 2:30PM. It will not be necessary for Mrs. Newell to come.

With kindest regards, I am

Sincerely yours,

FJY:AH

Please bring the North St. Lucie Certificate

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52 WALL STREET
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November 15 1934

Mr. Edward T. Newell
Halesite,
Long Island, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:

For your information, I am enclosing Plan of Reorganization of Consolidated Gas Utilities Company First Mortgage 6% Bonds. You need not return it.

Very truly yours,
F. J. YOUNG & CO. INC.

By

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52 WALL STREET
NEW YORK

May 20th 1935.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Savoy Plaza Hotel,
59th Street and Fifth Avenue,
New York.

Dear Mr. Newell:

I am enclosing copy of Plan of Reorganization of Northern Utilities Company.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

FJY:HM

EDWARD S. ELLIOTT, M.D
DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS

REYNOLDS BENSON
ATHLETICS MANAGER

Columbia University
in the City of New York

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICAL EDUCATION

REPLY TO
COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY
ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION
JOHN JAY HALL

September 1935

SPECIAL FACULTY RATES FOR COLUMBIA ATHLETIC CONTESTS

The enclosed announcement sets forth the plan of season tickets for Columbia athletic contests which has been in vogue for the past few years. At the request of Dr. Edward S. Elliott, director of Athletics, the undersigned faculty committee again invites all officers of instruction and administration to take advantage of the special season ticket rates offered to them under this plan as follows:

I. OUTDOOR SEASON TICKET, $8.80 (including the federal tax) entitling the holder to admission without further cost to all home contests in the freshman and varsity football, track and baseball.

II. INDOOR SEASON TICKET, $5.50 (including the federal tax) entitling the holder to admission without further cost to all home contests in freshman and varsity baseball, swimming, wrestling, water-polo and fencing.

An additional season ticket at the same reduced rate is available for each member of the family of a university officer.

III. FREE TICKETS FOR FACULTY CHILDREN - The Committee is pleased to announce the courtesy of free admission (on the payment of the tax) extended by the Director to children of university officers and their young guests for the following games: VIRGINIA MILITARY INSTITUTE on October 5th and RUTGERS on October 12th - also all home freshman games.

These complimentary tickets will be furnished to those signifying their request ten days in advance of the game on the enclosed coupon.

It is the hope of your faculty committee that you will take full advantage of the opportunities offered you to witness Columbia teams in action. We are enclosing for your convenience an application form for your season ticket subscription.

THE COMMITTEE

Edward J. Grant
Peter M. Riccio
Arthur W. Thomas

Crescent Athletic - Hamilton Club

129 PIERREPONT STREET

BROOKLYN, N. Y.

September 16th, 1935.

TO THE MEMBERS:

Notice is hereby given in accordance with Article V, Section 1, of the By-Laws of the Club that the election of a Nominating Committee of seven members to prepare and report a ticket of nominees for the Officers and Governors to be voted for at the next annual election of the Club, will be held in the City Club House, No. 129 Pierrepont Street, Brooklyn, on Monday, October 14th, 1935, and **I hereby call for** nominations by the Club at large for members of the Nominating Committee. The Polls will be open on October 14th from five to nine o'clock P. M.

The attention of the members is called to the following dates and By-Law provisions in connection with the foregoing notice and call:

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 16, 1935. Call for nominations and notice of the date of election.

By-Laws—Article V, Section 1. A Nominating Committee of seven members of the Club, not members of the Governing Committee, shall be chosen by the members of the Club at an election to be held, for that purpose only, on the second Monday of October of each year. When such day falls on a legal holiday the election shall be held on the first following business day. Due notice of this election and a call for nominations by the Club at large, shall be issued by the Secretary at least thirty days before the date of the election.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1935. Last day for filing with Secretary the names of properly endorsed candidates for the Nominating Committee.

By-Laws—Article V, Section 1. The Secretary shall prepare the ballot to be used at this election, said ballot to contain the names, alphabetically arranged, of all duly qualified nominees, whose names have been filed with him and who shall have received, at least ten days before the date of the election, the written endorsement of at least twenty-five Resident or Life members of the Club.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 14, 1935. Election of Nominating Committee. Polls open from 5:00 to 9:00 o'clock P. M.

By-Laws—Article V, Section 1. The President of the Club shall appoint, at least two days before the date of this election, three Inspectors of Election who shall have charge of the election, canvass the votes and post upon the Club bulletin-boards the names of the seven members elected to serve as a Nominating Committee. The polls shall be open from 5 to 9 P. M., and the seven nominees who receive the greatest number of votes shall be declared elected. The one receiving the highest vote among the seven so elected shall be the Chairman of the Committee. In case of a tie, the Committee at its first meeting shall choose its own Chairman. Any other ties at the election shall be settled by lot by the Inspectors. Vacancies from any cause shall be filled by the Committee.

FREDERICK H. STEVENSON,

Secretary.

WILLIAM WOODWARD
HONORARY CHAIRMAN

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CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD

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SEVENTY BROADWAY

NEW YORK December 3, 1935

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Mr. Edward T. Newell, Treasurer,
Huntington Free Library & Reading Room,
c/o American Numismatic Society,
Broadway between 155 & 156 Streets,
New York City.

Dear Mr. Newell:

We enclose statements of the Huntington Free Library and Reading Room for the month ended November 30, 1935 covering Permanent Fund, New Building Fund and Book Purchase Fund.

Very truly yours,

H. E. ZEPF,
ASSISTANT TREASURER.

RLM:PRC
Enclosed:
3 statements

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INCORPORATED
INVESTMENT SECURITIES

NEW YORK — ALBANY
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TELEPHONE HANOVER 2-3840

52 WALL STREET
NEW YORK

December 5th 1935.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite, L.I.

Dear Edward:

I am enclosing letter and postal card relating to Kaufman County, Texas No. 4 bonds.

In view of the contents of this letter, I do not see anything else for you to do except to authorize the sale of the bonds which you have deposited.

I suggest you forward the post card direct and return the letter to me.

Yours sincerely,

FJY:HM

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New York, December 6, 1935

In replying please refer to 93-1

Mr. Edward T. Newell
c/o F. J. Young & Co. Inc.
52 Wall Street
New York, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Newell:

At your convenience we shall appreciate your furnishing us on the face of our three form cards enclosed with new specimens of your signature, to be used in substitution for the cards heretofore recorded with us in connection with your personal checking account maintained at this office.

With assurances that your kind cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated, we are

Yours very truly,

Joseph McDonough

Assistant Secretary

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52 WALL STREET
NEW YORK

December 17, 1935.

Mr. Edward T. Newell,
Halesite,
Long Island, New York

Dear Mr. Newell:

We have this day deposited to your credit at the Guaranty Trust Company (Fifth Avenue Branch) check for $100.00 being the dividend received on 400 shares Standard Oil of Indiana @ 25¢ per share.

We also enclose statement for the month of November.

Very truly yours,
F. J. YOUNG & CO. INC.

BY G. Simonson

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March 20th 1936

Dear Mrs. Brett:

Your letter from Marseilles reached me safely, and shortly afterwards your interesting one from Cairo. Many, many thanks. Ravel also sent me a cast of the Tharsalus, but as I have several very fine ones (though not this particular variety) I have decided to wait for things which I certainly do not have ! But thank you just the same for your interest and great trouble. I have written Ravel a "come on" letter with regard to his Naxos and Paros coins in which I would be really interested, especially the former. Also the Lysimachus tetradrachm of Perinthus. The Alexander (with griffin) stater which you got from him I already have.

With regard to Arsinoe octodrachms I do not have the Pition (mine is Paphos) so that I would be interested in it. Of Joppa I have one, BUT mine is of Ptolemy III (his year 4), so that as yours is probably Ptolemy II it would almost surely interest me. I am glad you did not get the Berenice type of Arsinoe, as I have one which I picked up cheap long ago - though it is not in very fine condition. Too bad about the Arsinoe with the bee ! Hope another turns up sometime !

The Alexander stater with the eagle which you saw at Hussein's I already have. It was not among my Egyptian coins as I think it was struck in Asia Minor - and there is yet another struck in Cyprus. I am glad you picked up the Samaria Neapolis coin of Philip. The only one I have of that particular type has TWO heads on the obverse. Yours I take it, has only the head of Philip. "Nefer-nubs" at five hundred dollars I do NOT want, as I am deeply suspicious of the ones Hussein and Khawam had when I was in Egypt last. I have none, but would only care to acquire one at a more or less nominal price, as I do not like them.

The Boston Museum sent me a splendid photograph (enlarged) of the Phrygillos Syracusan tetradrachm. I have therefore now mounted the two plates for your interesting article on the Athena and other types of Syracuse. I am afraid that it will be some time before we get around to the publication as everything is being held up temprarily until we get together enough material for plates so

that one printing can be made of all the plates together, in our usual manner. With regard to publications, there is one item of great interest which I can now impart. Mr. Huntington has finally consented to allow us to publish, from time to time, important articles in a little larger format. Glory be ! I only received his letter about a week ago. Very soon there is going to be an important meeting of the Publication Committee to discuss "ways and means" such as a good name for the new series, [illegible] actualzine, paper etc. Wish you were here indeed, to help and guide our deliberations. If, and when you get this, I should be glad to hear any suggestions or ideas you might care to make.

Life is certainly always exciting in Egypt, and terribly expensive for a [illegible] collector. And afterwards I always regret not buying many of the things which I saw but was too [illegible] at the price asked to have the sense to pick them up. As you say that the [illegible] [illegible] are in finest condition, it seems to me that their price in paper pounds (and dollars) is about correct. I need to pay for such things (about twelve to twenty pounds sterling [illegible]. So that at 20 pounds paper they would come to about the same thing.

I hope that your plans for the trip to Baghdad will go through. You ought to have a fascinating time there. I wonder if you will [illegible] the [illegible] [illegible], who stated that he was [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] of Baghdad. Certainly he used to sell me some nice things before things went to the hope. In any case you will probably [illegible] [illegible] of Alexanders and Parthians, with a few Seleucids of [illegible] [illegible] here and there. I hope you may be able, however, to pick up a few Seleucid bronzes. If I had approximated that you might get to Baghdad I would have spoken particularly of Seleucid bronzes in fine condition. My experience, however, has been that bronze coins in really fine condition seldom or never turn up in Mesopotamia. The soil conditions apparently make it impossible to find such things there, unless purchases they have come across the border from Persia.

I am sending this to Athens, and hope that you will find it there when you arrive. Please remember me kindly to all friends you may meet there. Hope the pickings will be good - if Mrs. [illegible] has not wiped up the market before you arrive.

With kindest regards to Dr. [illegible] and [illegible] from us both, and again many thanks for all your trouble and interest,

Sincerely,

[illegible]

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April 26th 1957

CABLE ADDRESS: "ISKANDAR" TELEPHONE: AUDUBON 3-4306 CODES: BENTLEYS, A.B.C. 5TH ED. IMPROVED

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December 15th, 1937

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WILLIAM P. COOPER

BARTON, MARYLAND

May 8th 1939

Mr. Charles T. McCormick,
3102 Cedardale Road,
Baltimore, Maryland.

Dear Sir :

Enclosed I am returning the two coins recently sent me. They are both modern Indian pieces, generically termed "Pantenkas". They are not intended to circulate as money, but are something in the nature of "temple pieces". The square one is a fairly close imitation of a popular square rupee of the Mogul Emperor Akbar, which latter [illegible] to have certain magical properties. The round piece has representations of certain Indian deities, such as Siva, Hanuman, etc. These "coins" seem originally to have been made in the course of the nineteenth century in central and southern India. Their only value is as curiosities.

Trusting this reaches you safely, and assuring you that we are always pleased to be of any assistance numismatically possible

Very sincerely yours,

A. WITTLIN P. H. WITTLIN F. STERNBERG – *EXPERT*

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• *Telephone: CIRCLE 6 – 0360*

Mrs.E.T. Newell,
Halesite, L.I. N.Y.

September 17, 1941

Dear Mrs. Newell,

I thank you very much for your very kind letter of September 9th. I am very glad that you will probably find the work of my uncle Behrendt Pick. There were about 12 typewritten pages in German dealing with ancient coins of Palestine. - If it is possible and not too much trouble for you, I would prefer to pay you a visit in the museum or wherever you say, and I would get then the manuscript directly from you. In this way I would be sure that the manuscript does not go lost in the mail. - It was the last work of my uncle, and it was much work connected with it, and it would give some satisfaction to my aunt to see it published in the United States.

I wrote to my aunt Gertrud Pick two days ago and gave her your kind regards.

Thanking you for your kind help and assistance in this matter, I remain, dear Mrs. Newell,

Yours very respectfully,

Frank Sternberg

65 West 68th Street,
New York City

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BULGHAR-MADEN.

Just north-west of the Cilician Gates in the Taurus Mts. "The silver mines to which the place owes its name and probably its being, seem to have been considerably worked in ancient times. The village is found deep in a valley under the Bulghar Dagh, a chief range of the Taurus, nearly 9,000 ft. high" (Page 43, of Garstang's :'The Land of the Hittites') "Where this mountain stream (a stream rising above and passing through Bulghar-Maden eastwards) unites with the CHakia-Su a bridge carries the track across to the other bank to join equally the main road to the South. This is the historic route leading through the Cilician Gates, the only pass available for traffic through the unbroken rockwall of the Taurus ... Previous, however, to Persian times the road through the Cilician Gates must have been sufficiently arranged to enable a wheeled cart or chariot to pass that way"

For description of route see Davis : "Life in Asiatic Turkey" London, 1879, chapter viii.

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Ten-Dollar Gold Piece Struck in California in 1849 Brings $2,175.

The sale of the H. Osborne O'Hagan coin collection, held by Sotheby in London recently, proved to be one of the most important that has been held in England for some years. The total sum realized was $35,000, and several new records were made.

The highest price paid at the sale was for an American private gold coin, a ten-dollar gold piece struck in California in 1849 by the Cincinnati Mining and Trading Company, which brought $2,175. The next highest sum was $750, which was paid for a Greek gold stater of Lampsacos, showing the head of Persephone wearing a wreath of leaves, on the reverse being the forepart of a winged seahorse. A second stater of Lampsacos brought $465. A Macedonian gold stater of Demetrios Poliorketes, showing the head of Demetrios with bull's horn, on the reverse a horseman, spear in hand, brought $690. A stater composed of the native gold, unrefined, known as electrum, struck in the Mysian city of Kyzikos, with representation of Triton on the obverse, sold for $635.

Addenda .

Hardly had the corrections to the final proof of A Parthian Hoard been completed than yet a further lot of these coins reached the writer from the hands of M.Bourgey. In an accompanying letter M.Bourgey states : "We have just bought another lot, which will be the last, very likely." That the coins are all from the hoard described above is certain, both from the varieties contained in the new lot and from the colour of the patina and dirt with which they are still covered. At first the writer thought that these might possibly be the missing coins of Lot A described in his article, but even a superficial perusal soon undeceived him. Therefore the present whereabouts of Lot A still remains a mystery.

The new arrival of coins adds but little to our knowledge concerning the

Antiochus VIII, Grypus. 121-96 B.C.
Mint : Ake-Ptolemais.

2. Tetradrachm. B.M.Cat., Kings of Syria, p.89, no. 13. Rev. In field, Δ. Good. Gr.16.46.

Antiochus IX, Cyzicenus. 116-95 B.C.

Mint : Antioch.

3. Tetradrachm. A.J.N., no.333. Rev. In front, Π above, A. Behind, Δ. Good. Gr.16.50.

4. Tetradrachm. Var. A.J.N., no.399. Rev. In front, Δ above A. Behind, M. Fine. Gr.16.57.

Mint : Ake-Ptolemais.

5. Tetradrachm. Similar to the coin published by Sir Charles Oman, Num. Chron. Ser. IV, vol.XIX, Pl. X, no. 2. Rev. In front, Ρ. Good. Gr.16.4[illegible].

ARSACID KINGS OF PARTHIA.

Early kings before Mithradates I .

6. Drachm. B.M.Cat. Parthia, p.3, nos.12 ff. Good. Gr.4.35.

Phraates II. 138-127 B.C.

7. Drachm. B.M.Cat. Parthia, p.17, nos.15-20. Obv. TAM. Worn. Gr. 3.36.

4-25. Drachms. B.M.Cat.Parthia, p.27,nos.23-25. Rev. Δ. Fine. Gr.4.21, 4.23.

Mint "B".

26. Drachm. ~~B.M.Cat.Parthia~~ Ibid.p.27,no.26. Obv. [illegible]. Fine. Gr.4.34.

27-30. Drachms. Ibid.,p.26, nos.21-22. Rev. Δ or [illegible]. Very fine. Gr.4.23, 4.24, 4.25, 4.25.

Series III (= B.M.Cat. Class I b).

Mint "A".

31-46. Drachms. Ibid., p.30, nos.66 ff. Fine to Brilliant. Gr. 4.14(three), 4.15(two), 4.16(two), 4.17, 4.18, 4.19, 4.20, 4.21, 4.22(three), 4.27.

Mint "D".

47-48. Drachms. See A Parthian Hoard, nos.252-253. Rev. A . Very fine. Gr.4.19, 4.20.

49-51. Drachms. Ibid. nos.254-263. Very fine to Brilliant. Gr.4.21,4.22, 4.23.

Series IV (= B.M.Cat. Class II).

Mint "A".

52-54. Drachms. B.M.Cat.Parthia,p.35,nos.114-116. Brilliant. Gr.4.20, 4.20, 4.30.

The most important addition is the drachm no. 57, by which we now know that the last issue of Mithradates II was actually represented in the hoard. Thus the burial can be fixed, more or less definitely, has having taken place not earlier than the final years of Mithradates' long reign. This is the more certain as the issue is far from common. It was probably soon interrupted by the king's death. We will probably be not far wrong when we assign the burial to the years 88 - 85 B.C.

Now to the hoard is the tetradrachm (no.1) of Alexander Balas, although the drachms found were fairly numerous. Now also are the several varieties of the tetradrachms of Antiochus IX, a drachm (no.8) of Phraates II and a drachm (no.17) of Mithradates II belonging to Mint "B" Series I, though similar coins have been published elsewhere. To be noticed as still missing from the hoard are specimens of the rare tetradrachms of Phraates II and Artabanus I. Much more surprising is the apparent absence of any of the comparatively common tetradrachms and drachms of the western issues of Mithradates I (B.M.Cat. Parthia, Pl.III, nos.7-13). Are such coins, by any chance, still being witheld ? Time will tell.

hoard, except that instead of 304 it probably contained not less than about 361 coins. The two tetradrachms of Mithradates II may be two of the three specimens sold in Baghdad, according to the writer's correspondent in that city. These, together with the accompanying five Seleucid tetradrachms and fifty Parthian drachms are described below. As the coins have not been cleaned in any way their weights, as here given, are slightly higher than would otherwise be the case. In the descriptions the same abbreviations are used as in the preceding article.

SELEUCID KINGS OF SYRIA.

Alexander I, Balas. 150-145 B.C.

Mint : Antioch.

1. Tetradrachm. A.J.N., no. 170. Rev. In the exergue, [illegible]. Gr.16.71.

Petrowicz p.19, no.10

8. Drachm. ~~Unpublished ?~~ / Obv. IN . Good. Gr.4.00.

Mithradates II . 123-87 B.C.
Mint "A".

9. Tetradrachm. B.M.Cat. Parthia, p.24, no.1. Rev. [illegible] and palm branch. Very good. Gr.16.37

10. Tetradrachm. Rev.Hun.1904, Pl.VII,6. Rev. [illegible] and palm branch. In the exergue, TY [illegible] . Very good. Gr.16.32.

11-16. Drachms. B.M.Cat. Parthia,p.26,nos.12 ff. Good to fine. Gr.3.71, 3.83, 3.97, 4.14, 4.19, 4.74 (sic !).

Mint "B".

17. Drachm. B.M.Cat. Parthia, p.25, nos.5-8. Obv. [illegible] . Rev. In left field, A. Fine. Gr. 4.16.

Series II(= B.M.Cat. Class Ia).
Mint "A".

18-23. Drachms. B.M.Cat.Parthia, p.27, nos.29 ff. Good to fine. Gr.4.18, 4.19, 4.21,4.23, 4.23,4.24.

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55. Drachm. ~~Ibid.~~, p.34, nos.102-105. Brilliant. Gr.4.22.

56. Drachm. Ibid., p.34, nos.106 ff. Brilliant. Gr.4.17.

Series V (= B.M.Cat. Class II).

57. Drachm. Ibid.,p.35, no.117. Similar to the preceding, except that the inscription reads : ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΝ ΑΡΣΑΚΟΥ ΔΙΚΑΙΟΥ ~~Brilliant. Gr.4.29.~~
ΕΥΕΡΓΕΤΟΥ ΚΑΙ ΦΙΛΕΛΛΗΝ.

PHASELIS	(Φ) after 190 B.C.	Alexander tetr. dated A - ΛA.	Anton Æ dated A, B, Є.	Anton Silver Staters R 3/5 Alex. tetr.
PERGA	" " "	———	Anton. Silver Attic Staters	
SELGE	(-) " " "	Alexand Tetr. dated A - ΛΓ	Anton. Divis. coins	
SILLYUM	(ΣΙΛ) " " "	Alexander tetr. dated A - Ε		
ASPENDUS	(AΣ) " " "	Alexand. Tetr. dated A - K⊙		
SIDE	" " "	———	Anton. Silver Attic Staters	

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after 190 B.C.

PHASELIS
PERGA
SELGE
SILLIUM
ASPENDUS
SIDE

Alexand A-AA